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NATION-WIDE DEMONSTRATION  
AGAINST ARREST OF MEMBER  
OF REICHSTAG UNDER WAYSocialists Everywhere Rallying  
to Defense of Their  
Representative.

## AMERICAN PLOT CHARGED

The Gazette Publishes Story That  
United States and England Planned  
to Foment Revolt in All Countries  
Alied With the Kaiser in the War.By Associated Press.  
LONDON, Feb. 2.—A national demon-  
stration is being organized in Ger-  
many as a protest against the arrest  
of Herr Dittmann, an Exchange Tele-  
graph dispatch from Amsterdam re-  
veals.Hans Haase, Socialist deputy, ap-  
pointed to Chancellor von Hertling  
in the release of Herr Dittmann.  
Chancellor said he was powerless  
to do anything in the hands of  
militarists.

## HLO-AMERICAN PACT

## TO FOMENT REVOLUTION

LONDON, Feb. 2.—Berlin dispatches  
telling an alleged Anglo-American  
plot to foment revolution in the Ger-  
man provinces are published by Cologne  
papers, according to an Exchange  
Telegraph dispatch from Amsterdam.  
Washington on New Year's Day it  
said that 250,000,000 marks were  
sent for this purpose. The  
dispatches were to be organized in  
many, Austria-Hungary, Turkey  
Bulgaria.

## SITINGS FACTORIES

Under martial law  
orders, have been placed under  
martial law and the strikers ordered  
to resume their work by 7 o'clock  
this morning at the latest, accord-  
ing to a Central News dispatch from  
sterden today. Their failure to  
do so is announced, will be pun-  
ished according to military discipline.

## OLATED EXCESSSES

YESTERDAY, SATS REPORT.  
STERDEN, Feb. 2.—Isolated  
excesses are reported in a semi-  
official statement received here today  
in the German capital. Work is  
said to have been resumed at Ham-  
burg and Danzig.

## MORE TEA IN

HOLLAND EATING PLACES.  
STERDEN, Feb. 2.—Five o'clock  
has been abolished in Holland be-  
cause of the shortage of tea. The  
government prohibited the serving of  
tea in restaurants, tea rooms, hotels  
and similar places. This action was  
taken because stocks of tea are dis-  
appearing fast and imports have  
ceased.

## FISH ARREST GET 10

YEARS IN GERMAN PRISON.  
STERDEN, Feb. 2.—Two cap-  
tured British fishermen have been  
sentenced by a German court martial to  
years imprisonment for dropping  
ordnance in German waters.

## BOWLING TOURNAMNT

Pittsburg and Cincinnati.  
Pittsburg, John Opperman,  
Homer and A. L. Mittereder will go  
to Pittsburgh Monday to compete in  
a bowling tournament there during the  
week under the auspices of the Pitts-  
burg Bowling Association. Leading  
players will participate in singles,  
double and five-man events.  
A. L. Mittereder is captain of the  
team which is called the Connellsville  
Special. Several of the  
men, among them Captain Mittereder  
and the Wilsons, plan to go to Cin-  
cinnati for the international tournament  
starting February 16.

## AMUSEMENT PLACES

All Kinds Must Remain Closed on  
Tuesday, Is Order.  
There are no changes in the rules  
of the observance of the third week-  
holiday on Monday. Attention is  
called to the fact that there is a  
use about which there was  
confusion last week. That is that  
all kinds of amusement places remain  
closed Monday but must close Tues-  
day. These include theaters, movie  
houses, bowling alleys, pool rooms,  
clubs and private dances, etc.  
There is a movement a foot that  
y mean the abolition by another  
week of the holidays.

## DOMESTIC SCIENCE TALK

State College Expert to Speak Here  
Tuesday.Mrs. Mary McClain will give the  
first of a series of domestic science  
lectures and demonstrations in Con-  
nellsville Tuesday afternoon at 3  
o'clock and Tuesday evening at 8  
o'clock in the high school domestic  
science room.  
The work is to be taken up by the  
State College through the Council of  
National Defense and the Public Safety  
committee. No admission will be  
charged and every woman is urged  
to attend the lectures as Mrs. McClain  
will talk on subjects of interest to the  
housewives. The second of the series  
will be held Monday afternoon and even-  
ing February 12.GENERAL MARCH IS  
SLATED TO BECOME  
ACTING STAFF HEADGeneral Bliss Will Remain in Europe,  
Says Story From Washington  
Today.By Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—Major  
General P. C. March is slated to be-  
come acting chief of staff of the army  
if General Pershing can spare him  
from his present duties as chief of  
the expeditionary forces. No reply has  
been received as yet from General  
Pershing.The selection of General March  
means that Major General Bliss chief  
of staff is to remain permanently in  
Europe as the American military rep-  
resentative at the supreme war coun-  
cil now sitting in France. No official  
statement was available as to the ac-  
tion contemplated but it is expected  
that General March will undertake the  
new duties in the near future.  
The permanent assignment of Gen-  
eral Bliss to the war council may re-  
sult in a request to Congress for au-  
thority to appoint an additional gen-  
eral. As General March will be in fact  
head of the army it is regarded as  
probable that he will be given both the  
rank and title of chief of staff later.  
General Bliss being continued in sim-  
ilar rank but relieved from the staff  
to devote himself exclusively to the  
work abroad.

## JANUARY COLD MONTH

Low Mean Breaks All Records For  
Past Six Years.Weather statistics for the month of  
January, compiled by C. A. Purbaugh  
of the West Penn. Railways company,  
show that January for 1918 was a  
much colder month than January for  
last year. The average mean shows a  
difference of more than 12 degrees,  
being 24.4 for this season and last  
year 36.8.The lowest mark reached in January  
on 1917 was 7 degrees above zero on  
the 15th while on the 21st this year  
a six degree below zero mark was  
reached. January, 1917, recorded the  
highest temperature, reaching 66 on  
the 2nd. The highest in 1918 was 48  
on the 26th.  
The average mean computed for the  
month of January for the past six  
years show that January, 1918, has  
been the coldest in all that time. The  
temperature for the past five years, as  
compared with 24.4 for this year fol-  
lows: 1917, 36.8; 1916, 42.9; 1915,  
27.5; 1914, 41.5; 1913, 46.1.

## FIRE HYDRANTS

To Be Opened Again Sunday for Do-  
mestic Supply.Fire hydrants in the hill district  
will again be opened tomorrow in or-  
der to permit families in the "dry"  
section of the city to secure a supply  
of water as was done last week.  
Firemen will be on hand from 9  
o'clock until all have been supplied.

## WIRE PLANT DESTROYED.

Fire Causes \$300,000 Damage in New  
Jersey Town.By Associated Press.  
HARRISON, N. J., Feb. 2.—Fire yes-  
terday destroyed the plant of the Driv-  
er-Harris Wire Co., which was engaged  
in manufacturing wire specialties  
for use in war work.  
The property is estimated at \$300,-  
000. Investigation as to the cause of  
the blaze was begun by the authori-  
ties.

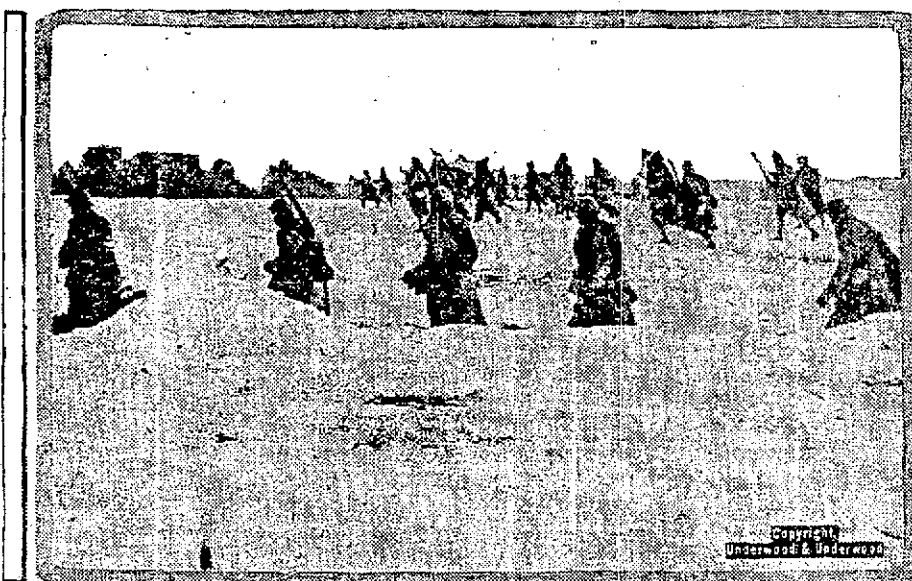
## Thomas Reaches Home.

Charles E. Thomas of the 110th  
Regimental band, stationed at Camp  
Hancock, Augusta, Ga., arrived here  
last night, being discharged on ac-  
count of underweight. He will go to  
his home at Scottsdale. Mr. Thomas  
was formerly in business in Connellsville,  
being associated with the firm  
of Thomas & Brown.

## Miss Moorehead Hurt.

The "Spring Bonnet" was delayed  
a while last evening when Miss Edna  
Moorehead, director of the play,  
jumped into one of the performers as  
she was hurrying across the stage  
just before 8:30. The baton in her  
hand was twisted in such a way that  
her wrist was slightly sprained.

## FRENCH MAKING A TRENCH RAID IN THE SNOW

The snowfall in France has been unusually heavy and the soldiers in the trenches are experiencing, be-  
sides the rigors of the weather, which in many cases are harder to bear. As this photo shows, the poles are not  
letting up on the boches, despite the snow and the cold. They are making a raid on the enemy trenches over the  
snow-covered fields in the Oise district. The men in the foreground are evidently trench cleaners.AUTO PLEASURE  
TRIPS CUT DOWN  
S. S. ATTENDANCEBig Falling Off in the County  
Schools Also Caused by  
War Activities.

## QUARANTINE STILL FELT

Leaders of County Organization at  
Mid-Year Conference for Rebuild-  
ing Work; War Department for Men  
in the Service of U. S. is Outlined.Because of the effect of the abnor-  
mal conditions due to the war, in the  
main, on the Sunday schools of Fayette  
county steps were taken at the  
annual mid-year conference last even-  
ing in Uniontown to offset a big drop  
in attendance by launching a cam-  
paign to increase by 10 per cent the  
average attendance and enrollment of  
every school in the county by July 1.The war is not the only factor in  
cutting down the attendance, the con-  
ference developed. Sunday automobile  
pleasure trips and the delights of the  
outdoors is a large and a growing one,  
it was pointed out.Then return to normal conditions  
following the stimulus of evangelistic  
campaigns in 1916 has had a great deal  
to do with lowering attendance in the  
districts in which the greatest evan-  
gelistic activity took place.The enforced quarantine in 1916, due  
to the spread of infantile paralysis, is  
still felt in practically all schools, it  
was pointed out. During the quaran-  
tine period many fell away from the  
schools and the loss has not yet been  
recouped.All these causes combined have  
brought about a decline in attendance  
of 4,500 in Fayette county alone, while  
in the state falling off is 50,000, statis-  
tics presented showed.The causes for the decrease in at-  
tendance were outlined by W. G. Lan-  
dow of Philadelphia, field secretary of  
the Pennsylvania Sunday School asso-  
ciation, who explained the general  
plan for the state campaign. D. M.  
Hertzog, president of the Fayette  
County association told the delegates  
in detail the plan adopted to increase  
the membership of Fayette county  
schools and called upon every school,  
large and small, to get behind the  
movement.Establishment of a war department  
in every Sunday school where mem-  
bers have joined the military or naval  
service was one of the principal ac-  
complishments of the mid-winter con-  
ference. The subject of keeping in  
touch with soldier members was  
brought up at the afternoon confer-  
ence on general Sunday school ques-  
tions conducted by Mr. Landow.Fayette county Sunday schools are  
organized along modern methods and  
are divided into departments. In dis-  
cussing what disposition could be  
made on the records of the school of  
members who have entered the ser-  
vice the suggestion was made that  
nothing would be more appropriate  
than the establishment of an entirely  
new department—the war department—  
and place there all the young men  
from all classes in the military ser-  
vice. The suggestion was promptly  
adopted. Sunday school literature  
and personal communications from  
officers of the school, teachers and  
members of the classes are to be for-  
warded promptly to the members of  
the war department but it was de-  
cided not to include that department  
when computing the average attend-  
ance.

## Robbins Again Candidate.

Congressman Edward E. Robbins  
has announced his candidacy for re-  
election to Congress from the Twenty-  
second district.

## Xamed Justice of Peace.

John B. Cunningham has been ap-  
pointed a Justice of the peace at  
Ursina.WEATHER AND MINOR  
ACCIDENTS DELAY  
FREIGHT MOVEMENTShort Line to Nearby Mining Plants  
Is Opened for First Time Since  
The Storm.Railroad conditions continue to  
grow worse because of cold weather  
and traffic is in bad shape. Only an  
immediate break in the weather can  
help. The car supply is low, as low as  
it has ever been, and the movement of  
trains is slow.A series of petty accidents, which  
held freight movements up for several  
hours yesterday but which did no ma-  
terial damage, delayed eastbound  
traffic on the Baltimore & Ohio rail-  
road. Three accidents occurred on  
what is known as the "hill" between  
Sand Patch and Hyndman, none serious,  
but all tending to slow up the  
freight movement.A drawhead pulled out of a car and  
held the freight for a few hours. An-  
other train was held up with a broken  
wheel at Hyndman. To complete the  
series of delays a freight bumped into  
a caboose of a train running ahead of  
it. No one was injured.The O. & B. shortline, between Con-  
nellsville and the mining towns of  
Juniata and Elm Grove was opened  
for the first time this morning since  
the storm of Monday. The first train  
went through at 4 o'clock. For the  
past week the mines have been with-  
out service. The line was tied up by  
a drift near Wilkes. The snow  
plows had no effect and it was neces-  
sary to dig through the drift.It is expected that the first train  
on the Confluence & Oakland branch of  
the Baltimore & Ohio, running be-  
tween Confluence and Kendall, Md.,  
will go through today. The daily train  
has pushed as far up the valley as  
Geist, Md., and it is expected that the  
run will be made as far as Friendsville  
today.JOHN L. SULLIVAN,  
GREATEST RING EVER  
KNEW, TAKES COUNTFormer Heavyweight Champion Suc-  
cumbs at His Home in Massa-  
chusetts.By Associated Press.  
ABINGTON, Mass., Feb. 2.—John L.  
Sullivan, former heavyweight cham-  
pion of the world and one of the best  
known pugilists in the country, died  
at his home here today. Sullivan had  
been in ill health for some months  
past and his death was expected.John L. Sullivan was for many  
years regarded as the greatest pugilist  
in America. Following his victory  
over Jack Dempsey in the eighties,  
Sullivan was invincible, until he met  
defeat at New Orleans at the hands  
of James J. Corbett, in 1892.Although a pugilist of the old school,  
Sullivan in later years, forsook the  
old punches. Lately he was not only a  
total abstemious, but a temperance  
advocate as well. He became one of the  
substantial citizens of the Boston dis-  
trict. Sullivan was known best to the  
younger generation as an attraction  
on the vaudeville stage, but to the old  
timers, "John L." remained the ex-  
emplar of the best traditions of the  
squared circle.Removed to Workhouse.  
John, Bell of Connellsville was  
taken to the workhouse yesterday to  
serve a term for carrying concealed  
weapons. He was unable to pay cus-  
tomary \$75 fine.

## Weather Forecast

Cloudy and warmer tonight; Sunday  
snow or rain and warmer is the noon  
weather forecast for Western Pennsylv-  
ania.Temperature Record.  
1918 1917  
Maximum — 20 40  
Minimum — 9 10  
Mean — 14 25  
The Young river fell during the  
night from 1.30 feet to 1.20 feet.MEXICAN KILLS  
FOUR, THEN IS  
BLOWN TO BITSExciting Escapade is Staged  
Early Today at El Paso,  
Texas.

## MURDERER IS DYNAMITED

Soldiers Attracted to Scene by Shoot-  
ing Surround Greaser and After  
Vain Effort to Get Him Otherwise  
Throw Explosives Into His Shelter.By Associated Press.  
EL PASO, Tex., Feb. 2.—After shoot-  
ing and killing four persons and fu-  
tally wounding another early today,  
Felix Alvarez, a Mexican, was him-  
self blown to pieces by dynamite  
which was thrown into the small  
house in the Mexican quarters where  
he had taken refuge from more than  
100 citizens and military police.Alvarez went to the home of Mrs.  
Trinidad Lucero and began shooting  
at her and her two children. The  
children were instantly killed and  
their mother dangerously wounded.  
The police chased the infuriated  
Mexican for 10 blocks, shooting as  
they ran. He entered the house in the  
Mexican quarters, barricaded himself  
and then opened fire on the police,  
killing one policeman and a deputy  
tax collector.The shots attracted the attention  
of the military police and within a few  
minutes the house was surrounded by  
a hundred armed soldiers and officers.  
Volley after volley was poured into  
the house without hitting the man.  
Four charges of dynamite were ex-  
ploded before the building was wrecked  
and Alvarez body hurled high in-  
to the air.

## GET HIS "SMOKES"

Soldier in France is Supplied by "Our  
Boys Tobacco Fund."Miss Katharine McKevitt, of The  
Courier, has received a card from a  
soldier in France, acknowledging the  
receipt of a package of tobacco,  
through the "Our Boys in France To-  
bacco Fund," to which Miss McKevitt  
has subscribed. The fund was handled  
in this city by The Courier and cards are  
now being received by persons who  
contributed towards buying tobacco  
for the fighting men. The card re-  
ceived by Miss McKevitt read:"In France 1-18. Dear Friend:  
Your gift received and to say I was  
glad to receive it would only be put-  
ting it mild. A letter will follow. Will  
tell you more. Your Soldier in France,  
R. L. Goodrich. Co. E, 12th Engra.  
(Railway)."Each contribution to the fund sent  
a package of tobacco to some soldier  
and a card for acknowledging the re-  
ceipt of the "smokes" was enclosed.

## ICE 32 INCHES THICK

Measurement Shows That on \$611  
Water Near Indian Head.The record thickness of ice is re-  
ported in the Indian creek valley. At  
Davisstown the still water back of the  
mill dam is said to have a coating 32  
inches thick. Measurement was made  
by a lumberman's rule this week.  
This is the greatest thickness of ice  
ever known in this region, old weather-  
ers say.Bishop Canavin Coming.  
The Rt. Rev. Regis Canavin, bishop  
of the Pittsburgh diocese of the Catho-  
lic church, will speak on the Con-  
fraternity of Christian Doctrine, to-  
morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in  
the parochial school auditorium.Jailed For Desertion.  
Albert Herring of Broad Ford was  
given a hearing before Alderman  
Munk last evening and committed to  
jail to await trial on a charge of de-  
serting, his child.CHILD IS FATALLY  
BURNED WHEN HER  
CLOTHING IGNITESDistressing Affair in Home of Murphy  
Avenue Family Followed By  
Death of Child.Burns suffered Thursday afternoon  
at 4 o'clock resulted in the death of  
Margaret Ellen Welling, three years  
old, daughter of Edward and Sadie  
Buttermore Welling, last night at 11:15  
o'clock at the family residence in East  
Murphy avenue. Circumstances sur-  
rounding the burning of the child are  
not exactly known. She went up-  
stairs to look for a small purse and  
the supposition is that she lighted a  
paper and her clothing ignited from  
that. Burned paper was found in the  
room. The gas stove in the room,  
where the child was burned, is a fire-  
less top one and it is hardly possible  
that her clothing caught from the  
stove.Mary Jean Buttermore, about three  
years old, and a cousin of little Mar-  
garet Ellen, later went up stairs and  
the screams of the children attracted  
the attention of other members of the  
family. The two children ran down  
stairs, the clothing of the Welling child  
being enveloped in flame. Her father  
wrapped her in a blanket, extinguish-  
ing the flames. The upper part of  
her body was deeply burned. A phy-  
sician was summoned and despite the  
best of medical attention and all ef-  
forts to relieve the child of her suffer-  
ing death resulted.The deceased is survived by her  
parents and the following brothers:  
William, Harry and J. O. Welling. She  
was a grandchild of William T. But-  
termore and a niece of Mrs. Ralph  
McCormick. Funeral Monday after-  
noon at 2 o'clock from the Welling  
residence with Rev. G. L. C. Richard-  
son officiating. Interment in Hill  
Grove cemetery.

## PROBATION OFFICER

In Engaged in Study of Duties That  
Will Be Assigned to Her.Miss Anne White, who was agreed  
upon by council as probation officer,  
was sworn in yesterday by Mayor  
John Duggan and has assumed her  
new duties. As yet Miss White has  
no active cases but is studying up on  
the duties of a probation officer.  
As she is the first woman officer in  
the city her work is being watched  
with much interest. Mayor Duggan  
has been in favor of a probation officer  
for some time. Among Miss White's  
duties will be that of keeping young  
girls from temptations, and in doing  
this she will work in conjunction  
with the mayor.

## TWENTY ENLISTED

In Fayette County For Motor Mechan-  
ics Organization.Fayette county furnished 20 men  
for the motor mechanics service in  
France, according to a statement made  
by the recruiting officer in Union-  
town yesterday to Benton Boyd, chair-  
man of the committee on Civilian Ser-  
vice and Labor which aided in secur-  
ing the men.Recruiting was halted on telegraph-  
ic orders from Washington to the re-  
cruiting officer that the full quota had  
been filled. The committee, Mr. Boyd,  
said is thankful for the cooperation on  
the part of the press in rapidly secur-  
ing the required number.

## 25 YEARS IN BUSINESS

Funeral Director Sims Rounds Out  
Quarter of Century Here.Undertaker J. E. Sims on Thursday  
reached the end of a quarter of a cen-  
tury as a funeral director in Connellsville.  
He came here from Cazenovia,  
N. Y. on January 31, 1893.  
Mr. Sims has not compiled figures  
to show the number of funerals con-  
ducted in that time but the persons  
at whose obsequies he has officiated  
would populate a fairly large town.

## "THE SPRING BONNET"

Final Presentation for Children This  
Afternoon.The second performance of "The  
Spring Bonnet," presented last night  
in the new high school auditorium for  
the benefit of the soldiers and sailors  
was greeted by an audience nearly  
twice as large as that of the opening  
night.The song numbers and the pretty  
dances were especially well received,  
as was the music by Kiefer's orches-  
tra. A large crowd of children at-  
tended the matinee this afternoon.

## RENDINE NEW COP.

Sworn in By Mayor Duggan and Put  
on Duty on West Side.Tony Rendine was sworn in as a  
Connellsville policeman yesterday by  
Mayor John Duggan and assigned to  
duty on the West Side. He is on the  
shift from 12 noon to 12 midnight.  
Rendine fills another hole in the  
police force, being the third new cop  
to be sworn in since the recent police  
shakeup. His first arrests were two  
drunks picked up yesterday afternoon.

## To Bless Throats.

Blessing of the throat will be given  
at the close of all the masses tomor-  
row morning at the immaculate Con-  
ception church by Rev. John F. Burns,  
and at services in the evening at 7:30  
o'clock.EXAMINATIONS OF  
MEN IN DRAFT TO  
START WEDNESDAY

## QUOTAS LEAVE FEB. 12

Fifty Are Called First Day in  
No. 5, 100 in No. 2  
District.From Lists of Eligibles Seated in  
the Examinations the Boards Will  
be Ready to Make up Increments  
For Camp, Wednesday's List.Official notification to have 71 men  
ready for departure to Camp Lee on  
February 12 was received by the local  
draft board for District No. 5 yester-  
day afternoon, and cards have been  
sent out to the registrants in Class  
1-A to appear for examination on  
Wednesday, February 6. No notice of  
a quota to be sent by the No. 2 board  
has been received yet, but cards have  
been sent out summoning draftees for  
examinations to be held on the 6th.  
Every man in the Class 1-A division  
will be examined at this time and in  
the future when a call is sent out for  
men to be sent to the training  
camps it will not be necessary to hold  
the examinations, as his papers on  
record in the files will show his con-  
dition.The men in District No. 5 will be  
examined in the mornings between 9  
and 12 o'clock. The examinations will  
be made in the Title & Trust building  
and registrants will report at the draft  
board offices unless otherwise not-  
ified. The No. 2 board will examine the  
men between 1 and 5 o'clock at the  
armory. One hundred men will be ex-  
amined each afternoon by this board,  
while only 50 are being called for  
each day by the No. 5 board.Following are the men called for  
Wednesday:Felix Treggano, Dunbar; Ray Liven-  
good, Bunker, Connellsville; Albert  
Williams, Mill Run; Angelo Alessan-  
dro, Dunbar; Hunter Robinson, Col-  
umbia, R. D. 1; Thomas Henry  
Kelly, Dunbar; George Curtis Moyer,  
Dunbar; James Swinkler, Morrell;  
Pete Francis Hoey, Leisenring No. 1;  
Charles Edward Coll, Adelade; Fred-  
rick C. Mason, Ohioyle; Jesse R.  
Bungard, Normalville; James Clifton,  
Vanderbilt; Joseph George Griglak,  
Leisenring; Herbert M. Shallenber-  
ger, Vanderbilt; Marshall Snyder,  
White; Bert Stewart Means, Van-  
derbilt; Elmer Wilford Conrad, Farmington;  
Gaetano Mendillo, Adelade; Wil-  
ham Boylen, Adelade; Dominick  
Sweeney, Leisenring; Joseph Moore,  
Connellsville; Walter White, White;  
Torey Ray Haines, Clifton Mills, W.  
12; Kestus Rachokostas, Vanderbilt;  
Lra Blair, White; Charles Joseph  
Ardesky, Adelade; James Robert  
Harper, Dunbar; Martin Vincent Mc-  
Intyre, Leisenring No. 1; Herbert  
Rosenberger, Connellsville, R. D. 1;  
Otto Baughman, Morrell; Joseph  
Henry Graves, Dunbar; John William  
Marker, Rodney; George Calvin Ste-  
wart, Ohioyle; Walter Regner, Morrell;  
John Stine, Dunbar; Alferico  
Komenos, Dawson; Johnson George  
Morrison, Ohioyle; Bernard Rayman  
Shiple, Stewart; Mike Tarkels,  
Connellsville, R. D. 3; Rankin Williams,  
Dunbar, R. D. 3; Thomas Podrasky,  
Leisenring; Anapo Toofoli, Dunbar;  
Jack Morrison, Dunbar; John Francis  
Boyles, Adelade; Isaac Marshall Hall,  
Markleysburg; George Lagynosky,  
Leisenring; John Pinkney, Dunbar,  
R. D. 1; Scott Colbert, Vanderbilt.

## DAWSON BOY CAPTURED

But Is Among Those Who Fight Way  
to Freedom.Study of the original photograph  
from which was made a cut published  
in The Courier on January 3 shows  
that Clarence Strawn, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. M. E. Strawn, was one of the  
men of General Pershing's forces  
captured in the fight on the Cambrai  
sector in France in December and  
who fought their way back to the  
lines.R. A. Neville secured a photograph  
from Underwood & Underwood, N. Y.,  
which shows plainly the face of  
Strawn in the cut published but not  
recognizable in the newspaper cut.  
Strawn is a member of the F. F. V. E.  
Engineers.

## SEES HIS SHADOW

Or At Least the Groundhog Had Op-  
portunity Today.Provided he wasn't imprisoned  
under a coating of ice the groundhog  
had opportunity today to see his  
shadow. For a time this morning, in  
Connellsville at least, the sun shone  
brightly.Warmer with snow or rain, is the  
noon forecast for tomorrow.

## GAVE HIS SERVICES.

Story of Perrine Caplan Due to Mis-  
understanding.Publication yesterday in the local  
papers of the story that Perrine Cap-  
lan, member of the orchestra at the  
smileage dance in Markel ball, had  
refused to donate his services for the  
benefit, was said to have been due to  
a misunderstanding on the part of the  
committee in charge.Mr. Caplan agreed to donate his  
services as he had done at the  
benefit ball at the armory and on the  
occasion of a Jewish benefit.



## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Miss Sarah Murray, of Pittsburgh, a member of the Graduate Nurses association of Western Pennsylvania will speak at all Fayette county members of the alumni and graduate nurses Tuesday evening, February 5, in the nurses' home in the Uniontown hospital. Miss Murray is on an extensive tour of the state that is virtually a recruiting campaign for student nurses. On account of the many graduates nurses leaving for war purposes in France an effort is being made to further perfect the nurses organization at home and give other training it needed for the war zone.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilder and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Pratt were among the out of town persons at a successful birthday party given last evening in the parish house of St. John's in the Wilderness Episcopal church at Dunbar. A number of guests from Brownsville and Uniontown also attended.

Connellsville Day will be observed at the semi-monthly meeting of the Woman's Culture club to be held Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Stouffer in South Pittsburgh. The program being a continuation of the one presented at the last meeting of the club, the meeting promises to be a most interesting one. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of members.

The Corticella Fancypark club was delightfully entertained Thursday evening by Mrs. E. J. Emley at her home in Eighth street, Greenwood. The evening was spent in knitting for the soldiers and sailors. Dainty refreshments were served. Mrs. James Comiff will entertain the club Thursday evening, February 14, at her home in Eighth street, Greenwood.

Ten members and two guests attended a very enjoyable meeting of the Busy Twelve club at which Mrs. J. J. Slaughter was hostess. Last evening at her home in Greenwood. The evening was spent at knitting and crocheting. A well appointed luncheon was served. Mrs. B. F. Wagman will entertain the club Friday evening, February 15, at her home in Ninth street, Greenwood.

The annual covered dish luncheon of the Greenwood Ladies Fancypark club will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Laura Piersol in Morrell avenue, Greenwood. The annual election of officers will take place and a large attendance of members is desired.

Mrs. C. C. Bittner and Mrs. George H. Shumaker will be joint hostesses at the regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Reformed church to be held Thursday evening at the home of the former in Eighth street, Greenwood.

The Colonial Inn was the scene of a very delightful dance given last night by the men of the cast of "The Spring Breeze" for the members of the entire cast. The dance was given at the close of the performance. Light refreshments were served.

### PERSONALS

Mrs. Ivan Rosenbaum, of Uniontown, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Walter N. Goldsmith.

"Ye Old Time Festival" by Women's Guild of Trinity Episcopal church, next Wednesday evening, February 5th, Old Fellows' temple, South Pittsburgh. Adv. 2-11.

Miss Amanda B. Carrell went to Pittsburgh this afternoon for a few days' visit with friends.

One lot of winter hats, including untrimmed shapes. Sale price from 50 cents to \$2.00; formerly priced \$4.00 to \$6.00. Among these you will find many desirable things. McFarland's, Apple St.—Adv. 1-21.

Mrs. Corinne V. Borland, of McKeesport, is the guest of Mrs. H. P. Snyder.

Vocal solo by Professors Haviland and Woodhead our popular high school teachers at "Ye Old Time Festival" next Wednesday evening, Old Fellows' temple—adv. 1-11.

Mrs. Anna B. Schmitt went to Pittsburgh this morning to spend the day. The best place to shop after all. Brownell Shoe Co.—Adv.

Mrs. John Evans, of Gallatin avenue, went to Pittsburgh this morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. T. E. Smith.

If it is white or black tennis shoes Downs' Shoe Store have them all sizes.—Adv. 1-31.

Mrs. Thomas Neely is spending the day in Pittsburgh.

One lot of winter hats, including untrimmed shapes. Sale price from 50 cents to \$2.00; formerly priced \$4.00 to \$6.00. Among these you will find many desirable things. McFarland's, Apple St.—Adv. 1-21.

Mrs. Mary Cordon, of West Apple street, and guest, Mrs. G. H. Eacavall, of Baltimore, went to Pittsburgh this morning.

All men of Methodist Episcopal church are urged to attend the Men's Bible class at 9:30 Sunday morning. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Matters of vital importance will be considered. One hundred men in male chorus, 200 men in congregation. Homer C. Davis, secretary.—Adv. 2-11.

Mr. and Mrs. John Forsythe and grandson, Master Elmore Brown, of

Point View farm, on the Vanderbilt road, were in town this morning on their way to Jersey Church to attend the funeral of Mrs. Forsythe's sister, Mrs. Emma J. Barnes.

See W. S. Hart at Arcade today.—Adv. 1-21.

Mrs. Milton Daniels, of Obiopolis, is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. G. N. Wood, of East Apple street, is visiting in Pittsburgh today.

Madam Anne May, famous Gypsy Queen at "Ye Old Time Festival" next Wednesday evening, Old Fellows' temple. Admission 10c.—adv. 2-11.

Miss Irene Hopkins, a student at the University of Pittsburgh, arrived home last night to spend the weekend with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hopkins of South Arch street.

Dr. S. G. McCune, of Buena Vista, formerly of Connellsville, was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. C. W. Hays and son, Page, of Wilkensburg, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Bryner, of Vine street.

Patronize those who advertise.

### "GOD'S MAN"

Benefit Play at Soisson Theatre Next Tuesday.

"God's Man," the first photoplay to portray New York's underworld and its influence upon the surface existence with reality and truth, will be presented Tuesday afternoon and evening at the Soisson theatre for the benefit of the Navy League. The production is in nine acts and is a version of George Bronson Howard's novel.

H. B. Warner is in the leading role. The play attains dramatic effects through photographic reproduction of the material with which it deals. The picture is one of exceptional interest especially to those who know New York as most of the scenes are laid in and about that city. The unnatural living of the poor in vast wastes of the slums and the equally forced living of the "over fed, underbred rich," who indulge a moral madness which almost taxes them beyond endurance is the frenzied seeking of happiness where it is not to be found, are set forth in vivid portrayal. Mr. Warner is supported by a cast of unusual excellence.

### LEFT \$10,000 ESTATE

Children Beneficiaries in Will of Mrs. Emma Vance.

The will of Emma Vance, who died at her home in Connellsville in January, was admitted to probate Friday afternoon. The estate is valued at about \$10,000 of which \$1,000 is personal property and the remainder real estate. All the property is located at Connellsville with the exception of one piece of real estate on the North side, Pittsburgh.

All the just obligations of the estate and funeral expenses are first of all to be paid, after which Mary Elizabeth, at home, is to have the household effects, piano, etc., and receive the income from the Pittsburgh property. The residue and remainder of the estate is to be divided in five shares, one of which goes to each of the children, Mary Elizabeth, Connellsville; Lewis, in the navy yard at Washington, D. C.; Mrs. James Frow, Charleroi; John Ingram Vance, Connellsville and Mrs. Joseph E. Grey, of Pittsburgh.

### ASKS FOR AUDITORS.

At South Connellsville to Fill Places Made Vacant.

Attorney F. E. Yonkin presented petitions in Uniontown yesterday asking for the appointment of two auditors for the borough of south Connellsville. The petitions asked for the appointment of Walter Moorman to take the place of Walter Artzman, who removed from the district, and Carl Presley to take the place made vacant by the resignation of George G. Gray.

Judge Van Swearingen took the papers and will make an order after due consideration.

### Will Attend War Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cuthbertson, Sr., will leave tonight for New York City. While in New York Mr. Cuthbertson will attend the meetings of the war convention of the National Retail Dry Goods association of the United States to be held February 6, 7 and 8 at the Hotel Astor. Mrs. Cuthbertson will go from New York to White Sulphur Springs, Va., for a short stay before returning home.

### Daughter Born.

Cards announcing the arrival of a daughter, Virginia Downs, Monday, January 28, at the home of Attorney and Mrs. Harry Downs at Clarksburg, W. Va., have been received here. Little Virginia tipped the scales at eight pounds. Mrs. Downs previous to her marriage was Miss Winifred Miner. Attorney Downs formerly resided in Uniontown.

### Home From Hospital.

Miss Evelyn Goldstone, who has been a patient in the Uniontown hospital since January 21, has returned to her home in Lincoln avenue. Miss Goldstone underwent an operation for appendicitis.

### Wed in Cumberland.

George Ritenour and Caroline Porterfield, both of Normalville, were married in Cumberland yesterday.

Don't knock Connellsville by sending your money out of town for your job work when The Courier company can do it here at home. Let us give you prices.

## DAWSON WOMAN KNITS 133 ARTICLES FOR MEN IN THE SERVICE

Mrs. M. E. Strawn Is Acclaimed the Champion With the Needles in Western Pennsylvania.

The championship for knitting for the Red Cross and Comforts Branch of the Navy League in Western Pennsylvania is credited to Mrs. M. E. Strawn of Dawson. Since June 15 Mrs. Strawn has knitted a total of 133 articles for the two organizations. She devotes her entire time to and is still forging ahead.

Mrs. Strawn has completed and turned over 12 full sets of five pieces each, 16 extra sweaters, 14 extra helmets, three scarfs, three pairs of socks and 17 pairs of wristlets.

Along with this work Mrs. Strawn has found time to give instruction in knitting to many others and has assisted in forming branches of the Red Cross and Navy League elsewhere. She is chairman of the Dawson branch of the Charleston Comforts committee.

### NAIRN MEETINGS

Come to Close Tomorrow in the U. F. Church.

Tomorrow morning at 9:45 o'clock R. W. Nairn, D. D., will give another of his addresses on "Soul Winning" to the combined adult department of the United Presbyterian Sabbath school. The subject will be "Qualifications for Soul Winning." Tomorrow is Dr. Nairn's last day with the local congregation. In the morning at 11 o'clock he will preach on the topic, "A Father's Love," and in the evening on the topic, "Great Salvation." Sabbath evening two wall notices will be given to the two largest families with all members present.

Out of hundreds, Evangelist Nairn yesterday afternoon picked ten cases of remarkable conversions. They were as follows: An unconverted church member, a man willing to join the church but unconverted, a trifter with truth, a drunkard, a gambler, a thief, a murderer, an agnostic, and one thought to have committed the unpardonable sin.

### PLAY SCOTSDALE TONIGHT.

Connellsville High Basketball Team Has Hard Game Tonight.

The Connellsville high school basketball team will play a game with Scottdale high at the Scottdale Y. M. C. A. tonight at 8:35. The locals will leave here on the 7 o'clock street car.

A large crowd of roofers are expected to accompany the team to the Mill Town. The high school there has a good lineup this year, and although this is the first season the local boys have ever been together they are expected to give their opponents a tussle.

### Notice.

To the Patrons of the Railroads: Much of the freight congestion in this district is due to failure of some consignees to take their freight away from freight stations and team tracks promptly. The Operating Committee, acting under the authority of the Director General of Railroads, hereby calls upon shippers and consignees to load, unload and remove their freight with the greatest possible dispatch, to the end that the roads may better perform all their functions of transportation. R. E. McCarty, chairman.—Adv. 31-61.

### Negroes Dies at 112.

Mrs. Katherine Brown, a negro, said to be the oldest resident of Fayette county, died Thursday afternoon at the county home from the infirmities of old age. Mrs. Brown admitted to the institution that she was 112 years old June 24, 1917.

### Dawson Dance.

Mrs. Albert Colbert and son, Ellis, of Dawson will give a dance Monday night in Cochran banquet hall at Dawson for the benefit of the trustees of the community who will leave for camp with the next regiment. Kirtley's orchestra will play.

### Wedding Anniversary.

The William Kurtz post 104 Grand Army of the Republic is attending the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Artz of 240 East Apple street at the home of R. L. Hannam at 110 South Pittsburgh street this afternoon.

### Fire Arrests Made.

Three prisoners were given hearings before Mayor John Duggan this morning. Two paid \$25.00 fines and one was discharged. Two others arrested during the night were released on payment of \$3.50 fines each.

### Bean Supper.

A baked bean supper and box social will be held Saturday evening, February 9, at Adelaide. The hours are from 5 to 8 o'clock. Supper will be served by the ladies of the Methodist Episcopal church at Adelaide.

### Teachers.

Teachers wishing special work in preparation for professional or provisional examination, see F. W. Jones, 311½ East Cedar avenue or call 21-R Bell, Connellsville.—Adv. 1-21.

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## CHAMPIONSHIP GAME

Connellsville Independents and Scottdale Girls to Play.

A game between the Connellsville Independent girls team and the Scottdale girls for the championship of Fayette and Westmoreland counties in the territory covered by this city and the Mill Town is being arranged to be played the week of February 17 to 23. The game will probably be on the 20th and will be staged in Mt. Pleasant on a neutral floor.

The Connellsville Independents is a team composed of players from the Ionian and South Connellsville line-ups. The Scottdale girls have played here several times this season and are known to the basketball fans here as a team of clever players. Wednesday, February 13, the Lady Macneech team and the Scottdale girls will play a game in the Scottdale Y. M. C. A. gym for the benefit of the Red Cross there. Every admission paid will be turned over to the Red Cross.

## THREE DAYS BREADLESS

Town of Somersfield Completely Cut Off From Outside World.

As a result of the storm of the first of the week the town of Somersfield was completely cut off from communication with the outside world for four days, three of which were breadless to the inhabitants. They depended upon the small stores but these could secure no supplies, the Confluence and Oakland branch of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad being snowbound and no traffic passing over the pike.

The arrival of the mail carrier on the fourth day, bringing mail and supply of bread and other edibles was greeted with cheers.

## RED CROSS SHIPMENT

Big Assortment Of Articles Sent Out From Dawson.

The Dawson Red Cross unit yesterday shipped to headquarters the following articles: 52 bed sheets, 32 pajama suits, 33 sweaters, 22 pairs of socks, and three scarfs. All the articles were made in the nine days preceding.

Mrs. H. A. Baum is chairman of the committee at work. Mrs. Harry Cochran secretary and Mrs. M. Hecklinger shipping clerk.

## CHEERFUL WORDS

For Many a Connellsville Householder.

To have the pains and aches of a bad back removed—to be entirely free from annoying, dangerous bladder disorders, is enough to make any kidney sufferer grateful. The following advice of one who has suffered will prove helpful to hundreds of Connellsville readers.

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Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Sullwaggon had. Porter-McMillan Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

## COMMUNITY SERVICES.

M. E. Folke Arrange Series For Next Week.

Community prayer meetings will be held next week by the congregation of the First Methodist Episcopal church as follows: Monday, South Connellsville, at home of Harry DeBolt; Tuesday, Poplar Grove, at home of W. J. Kaufman; Wednesday, Murphy avenue, at home of A. C. Herwick; Thursday, West Side, at home of Matilda Eccles, No. 514 W. Crawford avenue; Friday, No. 412 Highland avenue, at home of Jacob Leubart.

All meetings begin at 7:30 p. m., and last just one hour. Rev. O. L. C. Richardson, the pastor, will lead. Everybody is invited to attend these meetings.

## NOT FAIRLY BEATEN

That is Contention of Rice School Relative to Spelling.

The pupils of the Rice school in Bullskin township, according to a communication to The Courier, feel they were not fairly beaten in a spelling contest with the pupils of the Johnston school at Moyer for the reason that they had only 11 persons pitted against 23 of the Johnston school. They ask to be given another opportunity to test their knowledge of orthography.

## Ten Pound Son.

A ten-pound son was born Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Richey at their home at Hedgewood farm, near Pennsville. The boy, the second in the home, is a grandson of J. J. Richey of Pennsville, and a nephew of the late E. Porter Richey for whom he has been named. Porter Richey, Mr. Richey was killed four months ago by a train at Newell.

## Ladies' Hat Sale.

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## Vanderbilt Club Dance.

A member of the H. B. club at Vanderbilt called The Courier to say that the dance on February 8 is to be by the club and not under the direction of the committee named yesterday.

## Has Meningitis.

Miss Ethel Harshman of Pittsburgh, formerly of Connellsville, is seriously ill of spinal meningitis at her home in Pittsburgh.

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## The Grim Reaper

MRS. EMMA J. BARNES.

Mrs. Emma Jane Barnes died very suddenly Thursday at her home in Pittsburgh. The body was taken to Jersey Church, near Confluence, this morning on Baltimore & Ohio train No. 6 and removed to the church there for services. Mrs. Barnes was a widow and for a number of years had resided in Pittsburgh. She was born at Jersey Church, a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Younk. She is survived by the following sisters: Mrs. John Forsythe of Point View Farm on the Vanderbilt road; Miss Cordie Younk of Ursa; Mrs. Utah Myers of Missouri; and one brother, John Younk of South Dakota.

## JOHN L. LOWERY.

John L. Lowery, 55 years old, a prominent farmer of Stewart township for many years, died Thursday in the Uniontown hospital following an attack of pneumonia, contracted while visiting his sister, Mrs. William Hardy of Dunbar. Mr. Lowery made the trip from Albright, W. Va., where he made his home with his niece, Mrs. W. V. Logue, to see his sister and contracted pneumonia shortly after his arrival at Dunbar.

## WILLIAM EVERETT.

William Everett, 61 years old, a former resident of Uniontown, died Thursday at his home in North Braddock following an illness of pneumonia. He is survived by his widow and the following children: Mrs. G. A. Feather of Smithfield; Mrs. Thomas Sawyer of Uniontown; and Miss Ella Everett at home.

## New Bookkeeper.

Miss Hilda Bridgman, cashier at Kobacker's store, has been made bookkeeper by the firm to succeed Fred Alguire who resigned to accept a position with the Westinghouse company in Pittsburgh.

## Buy New Truck.

The H. C. Frick Coke company has purchased a new three-quarter ton truck from the Central Motor company for use at Leisenring No. 1.

## Brethren Services.

Elder D. K. Clapper will preach at the Church of the Brethren on the West Side, Sunday at 11 A. M., and 7:30 P. M.

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### APPARENT CONDITION APPEALS

And Big Headed Head of House Takes Him in, to Discover Next Morning He Has Been Faking. Identity and Purpose Not Known. News of Day.

Special to The Courier.  
SCOTTSVILLE, Feb. 2.—The farmers out around Woodville are beginning to be suspicious of all strangers. One of them a few nights ago entertained a stranger who wore the clothes of a Civil War veteran and presented himself at night looking for another old soldier he said. There was no veteran of the name but he talked on the so on so very feeble and finally asked for something to eat and a place to sleep all night. The farmer who has a big hearth, did not hesitate to extend the hand of welcome to the vet and ask him to remain. Not until the man walked away very erect the next morning when he thought he was out of sight did they feel that there must be something wrong. They had driven them to the window to watch him. But now all of the family who heretofore had been unsuspecting, began to think and recall how many papers he had in his pocket and how he carried it with him and still more suspicious were they when they found the powder that had come from the man's gun barrel. They wished that during the night they had called an officer. Following this incident, it was learned that he had stayed at the neighborhood for several days but at no other home had he made bold enough to ask to stay.

Fresh eggs have reached the highest price that they ever been in Scottsville. Yesterday the few that had been brought into town were selling for 70 cents a dozen.

Thirty-five friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Anthony Leonard on Thursday evening and gave her a very pleasant surprise party. The evening was spent in games and knitting with music. A nice refreshment was served.

Mr. L. R. Leasport returned by the fourth of the Union of Brethren. A social evening very effective refreshments were served.

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## REGISTER AND CLERKS' NOTICE

The following executors, administrators, guardians and trustees have settled their accounts in the office of the Register and Clerk of Orphans' Court and the same will be paid out of the Orphans' Court of Fayette County at the Court House in Uniontown, Pa. MONDAY, MARCH 4, 1918.

Monday, March 4,

No.	Estate of	Accountant.	Filed
1	George B. Kaine	Citizens Title & Trust Co. executor and trustee	Nov. 3, 1917
2	Charles H. Faltbott	John F. Faltbott executor	Nov. 16, 1917
3	Margaret Whetsel	John F. Faltbott executor	Nov. 14, 1917
4	Lizabett Mary Sharpneck	Harry P. Faltbott executor	Nov. 20, 1917
5	Sarah C. Jacobs	William M. Scott executor of the estate of J. L. Jacobs	Nov. 22, 1917
6	Henry A. McElroy	J. N. Jacobs and C. W. Bowman executors	Nov. 22, 1917
7	Solomon G. Krepps	James T. & Trust Co. trustee	Nov. 25, 1917
8	Paul P. P. P.	Margaret M. Krupp executor	Nov. 29, 1917
9	Michael Crow	Phoebe P. P. P. administrator	Dec. 1, 1917
10	William H. Kent	Bowen R. Crow executor	Dec. 17, 1917
11	Edward Wilson	Samuel M. Kent administrator	Jan. 9, 1918
12	James E. Miller	Elizabeth C. Wilson administrator	Jan. 10, 1918
13	William H. Coffman	William A. Miller administrator	Jan. 10, 1918
14	Mildred M. Leckrone	Thomas S. Miller executor	Jan. 11, 1918
15	Thomas McLinden	L. C. Honaker administrator of the estate of the late J. L. Honaker	Jan. 11, 1918
16	Lewis E. Schaffer	Elizabeth Honaker executor	Jan. 11, 1918
17	Thornton Johnson	Patrick J. Leckrone and James P. Leckrone executors	Jan. 11, 1918
18	Martha Herron	Walter L. Schaffer trustee	Jan. 11, 1918
19	Louisa Herron	Daniel C. Herron trustee	Jan. 11, 1918
20	Catherine Echard	Frank H. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
21	Joseph S. S. S.	Wm. M. Herron and Daniel P. Herron executors	Jan. 11, 1918
22	Thomas Waldin	D. W. Herron executor	Jan. 11, 1918
23	W. O. Wilson	Noah B. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
24	Duane S. Thorne	Gom R. Herron executor	Jan. 11, 1918
25	William M. Kern	Lena M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
26	Amanda J. Parkhill	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
27	Oliver F. Herron	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
28	Martha J. Wilson	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
29	John W. Crow	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
30	Solomon Palmer	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
31	Frances Howell	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
32	George T. Hatfield	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
33	Margery F. Deffenbaugh	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
34	Nora Brown	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
35	Sarah M. Poundstone	John M. Herron administrator	Jan. 11, 1918
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HENRY R. TITM, CLERK OF ORPHANS' COURT, UNIONTOWN, PA., FEBRUARY 1, 1918.

### ATTORNEY'S NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the above accounts will be taken up for audit and settlement at the Court House at Uniontown, Pa., on Monday, March 4, 1918, at 10 o'clock A. M. each of the following days:

Accounts Nos. 1 to 11 inclusive on Monday, March 4, 1918; Nos. 12 to 21 inclusive on Tuesday, March 5, 1918; Nos. 22 to 31 inclusive on Wednesday, March 6, 1918; Nos. 32 to 41 inclusive on Thursday, March 7, 1918; Nos. 42 to 53 inclusive on Friday, March 8, 1918. Any creditor or claimant who has a claim against the estate of the decedent or testator, or who is a party to the estate, must appear at the Court House at Uniontown, Pa., on the day specified, and present their claim against the said estate or for the said party, upon oath, if required.

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## At the Theatres

### THE PARAMOUNT

MAGDA—An eight part screen triumph which Clara Kimball Young the celebrated actress supported her own company appears in being presented today. Magda taken from the famous stage classic was warmly received by the large audience yesterday. It being the first screen appearance of Mrs. Young in Connellsville for some time her admirers turned out in large numbers. As an emotional role Magda provides the star with a powerful vehicle. The play is intended to be a drama of the struggle of the daughter of a rich man to win her independence and to live her own life. The story is told in a most dramatic and moving way. The play is a masterpiece of the screen and is a must for all who love the drama.

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## FEWER MEN THAN EVER WILL BE ABLE TO ESCAPE UNDER NEW DRAFT RULES

Those Having Remedial Devices Will Not Be Immediately Recalled. Weight Minimum 100 Pounds.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 2.—New regulations for selective draft passed by the Senate today will be the most stringent yet enacted. They will require that all men who are subject to the draft must be physically fit to serve. Those who are not fit must be medically examined and if found unfit, they will be exempted from service. This is a significant change from the previous rules, which allowed many men to avoid service by claiming physical disabilities.

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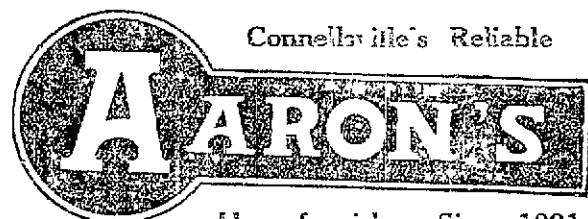
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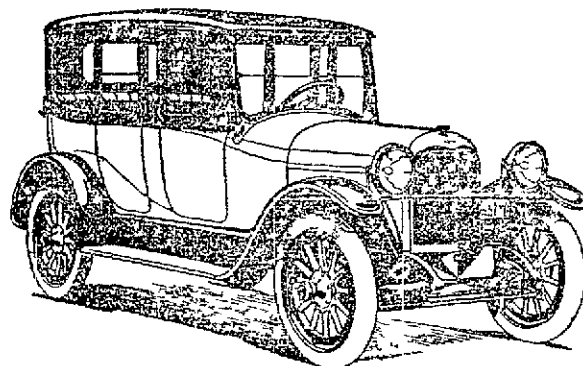


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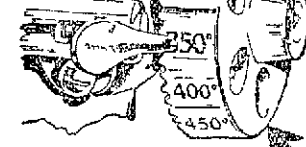
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**OUR FIRST CARE.**

The Fayette street fire of Thursday night should serve as another reminder that too much care cannot be taken at this time in the direction of fire prevention. This fire had its origin in a practice common to the season—that of thawing out frozen water pipes with a gasoline blow torch. Where pipes are readily accessible, and removed from conditions likely to cause a fire, this method of thawing is effective and, if handled by an experienced and careful plumber, is reasonably safe. It more frequently happens than otherwise that in applying the torch to the pipes contact is made with some inflammable material and a fire is started. There is so large an element of danger in the practice, and it has been the cause of so many fires throughout the country, that it should not be entrusted to any but experienced and careful workmen who realize the necessity of taking every possible precaution.

The conditions under which the firemen were obliged to work on the Fayette street fire should impress every person with the weight of obligation resting upon them at this season to take absolutely no risk that might result in starting a fire. With two of the hydrants nearest the scene of the fire being useless through freezing, the firemen were very seriously handicapped. They were, in fact, forced to spend more time in laying lines of hose to hydrants that were in working order than would have been required to put the fire out had the nearest hydrants been available.

Had a high wind been blowing during the time the firemen were compelled to go to far distant plugs for a water supply, the fire might have gained such headway that a total loss of the property would have resulted and the fire been communicated to adjoining or neighboring properties. Under the many unfavorable conditions with which the firemen had to contend, they proved their efficiency by keeping the fire damage within a part of the building. Had they not been hampered by the frozen hydrants the fire could have been still further confined with consequent smaller fire loss.

The lesson of this fire, as before pointed out, and which cannot be repeated too often, is that the occupants or users of buildings of every kind and in every section of the city, and workmen employed in them, must make the prevention of fire their first and constant care.

**"LIGHTLESS" NIGHT VIOLATORS.**

It will be very much to the discredit of Connelville if any person affected by any of the fire or food conservation regulations becomes so persistent in their violations of them that it will be necessary for the administrators to exercise the authority vested in their office. On the whole the restrictions imposed have been accepted in good spirit and compliance therewith has been fairly general. Unfortunately, however, exceptions have been reported, among those to whom the "lightless" night order has application.

From the action of the Fayette County Fuel Administration, in requesting authority to discontinue the electric service to the habitual violators of this regulation, it is plain that this body proposes to see that obedience to the order is to be without exception. If such a step becomes necessary it will meet with public approval, the sentiment being that no person to whom the order applies should be permitted to take liberties. Others would not presume to take. As Administrator Connell points out, "It is manifestly unfair to one man who is honestly trying to observe the law and religiously attends to his duties in that connection, to have places all around him habitually neglecting this duty."

This statement expresses the feeling of those persons who have given and will continue to give strict adherence to the requirements of the order. They realize, as all good citizens do, that the unusual measures that have been taken are in the interests of the public welfare and, according to it as their patriotic duty, they are complying willingly and cheerfully. All persons are not moved by the same unselfish and patriotic motives. Some are always ready to take advantage of every circumstance without considering also that they are taking risks.

The food and fuel regulations appearing to such persons as senseless and unnecessary, the belief is entertained that they are also unnecessary and without penalty for their violation. There had been no disposition upon the part of the administrators to make burdensome exactions of any one. They very properly contend, however, that when the restrictive orders may work temporary hardships upon certain individuals or classes, the spirit of the whole scheme of regulation requires that all affected by it shall comply with the rules—voluntarily if they prefer; involuntarily if they persist in their refusal.

Dr. Dixon thinks Connelville should keep step with itself by not stepping backward through enacting a new ordinance.

Bro's Ground Hog defied the authority of the Food Administration by refusing to make it a "horkless" day.

The mailed rat still rules in Berlin. Persistent violators of the "lightless" night rule are likely to have it amended to a lightless week, perhaps longer.

Cashbook citizens proved their ability to fight fire when there's no water but plenty of snow available.

Sergeant Smith has very gracefully introduced the regular army man to us. We ought to be glad to know him and consider yet of the opportunity to make him glad.

A decision to cut out the heatless Mondays will be the only thing that can reconcile us to the decree of Weather Administrator G. Hog that winter shall continue six weeks longer.

**Just Folks**

Edgar A. Goss.

**MOTHER'S LECTURES TO PA.**

When Pa and Ma are going out, with a solemn face and grave, Ma always lectures Pa awhile on how he must behave.

As soon as they are dressed to start, she says: "For goodness sake, I hope you'll not disgrace me now with any of your breaks!"

And promise me you will not tell these guests that we shall meet tonight have heard them all before!

And Pa says: "Yes, my dear," and then Ma says: "And further, Ma, at ten o'clock don't show your watch and say it's time for bed."

And please remember as we dine the salad fork is flat.

Don't pick it up and loudly say, "The peas can't fall from that!"

Such humor isn't very smart; tonight from it refrain.

It gives the guests and I am sure it gives the hostess pain."

And Pa says: "Yes, my dear," and then Ma says: "Now if perchance that fat Miss Watchname is there, you must ask her to dance! Don't do the way you always do and take the fussy girls."

You're past the age of silly talk, and pretty frocks and curls.

I will not go a step with you until you first agree.

To dance with every woman there whose husband favors me.

"Don't get into a corner with some man you long have known."

And spend the evening with him there, as though you were alone!

Remember, other people want your company to share.

Don't act as though you do not see the stranger who are there."

But sometimes half that mother says! I'm sure he doesn't hear.

Because his answer always is: "Yes, yes, all right, my dear."

**Looking Backward**

News of the Past Condensed from the Files of The Courier.

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1888.**

Cold was reached in the shaft at Leisegang No. 3 on Wednesday at a depth in the region. The shaft is the deepest in the region. James E. Leisegang, a veteran miner put down the shaft and is proud of its record of sinking six in the coal region, during which work an employee of his lost a life or was injured.

Miss Alice Newman, 16 year old daughter of George Newman, of Vanhook, died at 10 o'clock, at her home, 1014 Grant street, of the same place where they are married.

The prisoners escape from the Connelville Jail are still at large. They make their getaway by forcing an entrance into a condemned cell and going out through the cellar.

Rev. W. J. Goss preached his first anniversary sermon in the Presbyterian church Sunday morning. During the year, 10 persons were admitted to the church, 10 were dismissed by baptism. The membership now stands at 116. During the year \$1,000 was contributed.

The oldest male in New Haven was found dead in Kent's mill race on Monday. Whether it committed suicide or died of a broken heart is not known. No inquest was held.

Dr. Ellis Williams of New Haven, sold the surface of their 90 acre farm in Washington county to John C. Calvin at \$10 and acre.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGrath celebrated their tin wedding.

Abigail K. Cameron, wife of Hugh Cameron, died in New Haven. She was 53 years old.

Edward Cline, 45, died at his home in Arch street.

John H. Hetherford died at Perryopolis.

Dr. James Fuller died at the residence of the Fuller brothers at Perryopolis. He was 60 years old.

W. J. Sherrard of Dunbar township purchased of John A. Dunn the Samuel Junk farm in Perryopolis township containing 248 acres for \$15,000.

Dogs got into the sheep pen on William Hoover's farm in Franklin township and killed 20 sheep.

Rev. Cornelius Bishop, aged minister of the German Reformed church, found frozen to death in a field on his farm near Somerset.

Thieves have been busy for several nights stealing the coal belonging to Mrs. Josephine Held from cars on siding near Baltimore & Ohio shops. Nearly 100 bushels were taken in one night.

Henry Goldsmith, one of the committee appointed by the Uniontown local Cemetery Association has received subscriptions to the amount of \$65 for the purpose of establishing a Jewish cemetery in Fayette county.

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Detailed report of the Connelville coal trade for the week ending February 10 shows a total of 18,000 tons in the region of which 15,000 are in blast and 3,000 are in the hands of the coal companies.

Shipments for the week aggregated 7,000 tons distributed as follows: To Pittsburgh, 2,500 tons; to points west, 2,000 tons; to points east of Connelville, 2,500 tons.

Clark Collins, commissioned postmaster for Harry Marlette continues to hold office until he receives official notice of the termination of his services.

Officers of the Uniontown No. 88, United States Legion are installed by Colonel Commander R. E. Davis at following: Colonel, T. C. Shaw; lieutenant colonel, Clark Collins; captain, J. B. Bailey; major, J. Z. Prichard; adjutant, S. P. Davis; quartermaster, Daniel Johnson; surgeon, Dr. William Weaver; chaplain, Dr. R. B. Cox; nurse, George Smith; and Dr. J. W. Walker.

**THE GROUNDHOG SEES HIS SHADOW!**



Harry Gaskill and Matthew Hart kindled a fire under an overhanging eave at the Joseph Sisson fire brick company's works at Davidson to make it fall. The heat thawed it out and it gave way killing Gaskill. Hart escaped unhurt.

Name of Connelville church changed to Connelville church society and officers elected as follows: President, R. J. McDevitt; president, George T. Griffin; vice-president, James G. Hickey; Miss Mary Porter, Miss Jessie Carlisle, J. A. Carl, Miss Gertrude Bishop, J. P. Wiley, Mrs. P. O. Goodwin and J. A. Lyon; secretary, Samuel G. Zimmerman; treasurer, R. H. Schell.

Rockwell Marlette is nominated for council on the Democratic ticket to take the place of James C. Butterworth whose business requires that he remove from the town.

Checks of the town petition the merchants to establish uniform opening and closing hours. They ask for seven o'clock opening and six o'clock closing. The merchants have agreed to the demands.

John F. Koser purchases the duplicate lines property in South Perryopolis.

William Myers, a Scotland lake, receives word from an attorney in Pittsburgh that he has become heir to a large estate in Germany, his share being \$4,000.

Mrs. Elizabeth Strong, widow of Henry Strong, dies at her home in Franklin township.

Miss Marie Leonard, 20 years old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leonard, dies of diphtheria at her home at Ohio.

Christian Edward tells his family at Connelville and moves his family to Connelville.

Dr. James H. Chetaniak, of Uniontown, purchases the three story frame building at Perryopolis known as the Hotel Perry.

Plans of the Connelville Machine and Tool company for the manufacture of machine tools and machine parts are running full capacity.

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Directors of the Second National bank decide to erect an eight story bank and office building on site of old structure on Brimstone corner.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Smith becomes librarian of the Carnegie Free Library.

A Joseph of Perryopolis leaves on Duquesne Junction for Connettsville, Turkey, in search of a wife. He is ready to pay \$500 in gold for one. Says she must be about 14 and "nice and good to look at."

Marshall Hunsford dies suddenly at his home in Connelville. He was a brother of Whit Hunsford of this city.

Michael Farr, 80 years old, dies at the home of his son, James S. Farr, in South Perryopolis.

The Carnegie Hero Fund commission contributes \$25,000 to Darr Mine Relief fund, bringing total to \$70,000.

T. T. Thomas, of McKeesport, is appointed to succeed Captain J. H. Simpson in charge of the real estate department of the West Penn Railway company.

Forecast blizzard and snow storm since the famous one of the early winter sweeps over Fayette county. The wind attacks it violently of 60 miles an hour. Heavy damage to wire and fruiting service result.

S. K. Reed of Connelville purchases the Point Marion house from D. J. Johnson.

Mrs. Mary L. Dighy, 78, dies at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Cecil, of South Connelville.

Arthur R. Miller, an IV C. Park ranger is made superintendent at Leisegang No. 3 succeeding J. P. Colburn resigned.

Hard Lewis 16-year old son Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lynch is killed in crossing railroad near his home at Greensburg.

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**Will We Have Much More Winter?**

Well, that is a pretty hard matter to figure. February is often quite wintry. March weather has a reputation for being vile, yet notwithstanding, merchants about this time of the year or earlier, provide for spring and summer goods. Now is may seem out of place to advertise spring goods, but the Union Supply Company stores take this occasion to announce that our spring goods are already coming in, goods that were bought three, four, and six months ago, and to complete our purchases for spring our buyers are now in the market, so look out for displays of spring goods at our stores. There are very choice lines of early domestic dry goods, there are choice and extensive lines of made-up garments for women, misses, and children, suits, wraps, etc., there are choice and extensive lines of material for women and children's garments. Most too early to give you a full description—this is only a synopsis, principally to let you know that it is time to prepare for spring rainment. There will be novelties coming in daily in every line. We particularly want to call your attention to the very attractive stock of skirts for women, shirt-waists for women, and to the very extensive line of new styles in ribbon.

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## MATTY TO PITCH IN SEASON OF 1918



CHRISTY MATHEWSON, MANAGER OF REDS.

Christy Mathewson, manager of the Reds, is coming out of his retirement as a hurler. Big Six will take the mound next season, he announced the other day. As his club will have to get along with six pitchers, he will keep himself in condition and be ready to go on the slab when his services are needed. The veteran hardly can be expected to take his regular turn

or pitch many games, but he plans to add as a relief hurler and pitch full games if necessary.

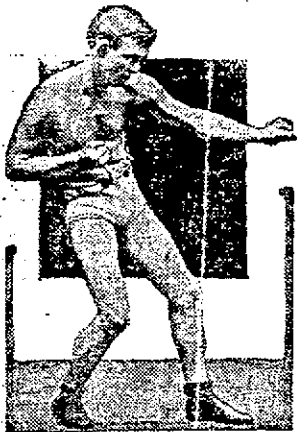
Matty announced his retirement as a hurler after he won his game from Mordecai Brown of the Cubs in Chicago on Labor day, 1916. Since then he has not played, but has kept himself in fine condition by hurling to the batters in practice.

## FIGHTERS ARE HOBBY RIDERS

After Amazing Fortune Ring Champions Look for Chance to Spend It—Nelson Wrote Book.

Most champions of the ring, as soon as they have amassed a fair sized fortune by their fist efforts, glance around to see how they can spend it—and many of them spend it merely as fast as it is made, which is some speed.

Battling Nelson wrote a book and financed it. Then he tried a comeback in the ring. Jack O'Brien became a real estate operator and was not as good at it as he was at fighting.



Battling Nelson.

Joe Gans bought a hotel in Baltimore and died penniless. Jack Johnson squandered his coin in racing cars and such. Stanley Ketchel carried the pocketbooks of his pals with yellow backs. Horses run away with the money Terry McGovern made with his fists.

And Jess Willard has bought a circus.

## SHOULD FIGHT FOR COUNTRY

Prosecuting Attorney of St. Louis Declares He Will Prevent Fighters Appearing There.

Howard Stidner, prosecuting attorney, has announced that he will stop all professional prizefighters from making appearance here.

"The time has come when these men should volunteer and fight for their country," Stidner said. "Dispatches from the battlefields of Europe tell of hand-to-hand fighting. Professional pugilists could win real laurels in such battles, and at the same time help the country."

Stidner favors amateur fighting, and will not attempt to stop it.

## GRENADE IN SPORT

To Make Throwing of War Missile a Feature at Colleges.

## HAS SUPPORT OF PAT PAGE

Lieut. Hans Norgren Says Idea Is Best Heard All Year—Greater Skill in Accuracy and Strength Is Required.

A new sport, grenade throwing, will probably be added to the events in the Big Ten conference track meets and the Western intercollegiate next spring. At a recent meeting of conference coaches it was voted to add grenade throwing to the regular track events if arrangements can be made.

The sport has the hearty support of Pat Page, University of Chicago basketball and baseball coach, who hopes to see it introduced into collegiate sports, at least for the period of belligerency. Page held a conference with Lieut. Hans Norgren, commanding officer of the grenade school of fire at Camp Grant and both are of the opinion that grenade throwing would be a welcome addition to fill out athletic meets in all parts of the country. Here is what Norgren has to say about it:

Interesting to Watch.  
"That is one of the best things we have heard all year from the colleges, and it is something that is not to be passed up. Grenade throwing is just as pretty to watch as the hammer throw, the discus, or even the new event, the javelin throw; and, while demanding the same strength as these events, it requires a greater skill in accuracy. The practice grenades we use are purchased at a foundry in Rockford, and cost us 11 cents each. The common grenade is about the size of an orange and weighs about a pound and a half.

"I would suggest that the event be held in three different tests of skill. First, hitting a target ten feet wide from a distance of 120 feet would test the accuracy of the thrower. That seems like a difficult feat, but after a few weeks of practice I find that I can land nine out of ten in the circle from that range. The target is divided into circular zones a foot wide and the score of the landing bombs can easily be figured.

Throw for Distance.  
"As a second test I think the best method would be to have the men throw grenades for distance. All throws which did not land within an angle, which should not be over ten feet wide, at a distance of 150 feet (a very fine throw), would not be allowed. A third test would be to see how many successive grenades a man could throw into a trench 20 yards distance in a minute, dropping to the ground, as attacking forces must, after every throw."

## CATCHER LEW MCCARTY'S SHOULDER GOOD AS EVER



Catcher Lew McCarty of the New York Giants has returned to his home in Catskill, Pa., after spending the time since the world series hunting in Vermont.

He is still suffering from the shoulder hurt in the second game of the world series. Ligaments were torn, and did not heal as expected.

However, a man who is able to shoot from an injured shoulder should not be kicking, and maybe McCarty is not as badly off as he makes out.

Hildebrand Is Gentle.  
George Hildebrand was the gentlest of Ben Johnson's umpires in the 1917 campaign, banishing but two players. Speaker of the Indians, and Mike McNally of the Red Sox.

Coast Races Cancelled.  
Pacific coast eight-oared shell races between California, Stanford and University of Washington will not take place next year.

## CAMOUFLAGE BALL DUE FOR SHOWING

We have had the spit ball, emery ball, shine ball and various other weird deliveries, but when the soldiers who are playing the national game behind the trenches return we may expect something new.

They are likely to bring back with them the camouflage ball. The pitcher will provide himself with a glove in which are inserted water-soaked guinea, and as soon as the new sphere is tossed out he will color it to resemble the background. This will render it invisible to the batter.

## BERRY GREETED JIM THORPE

University of Pennsylvania Marvel Meets Famous Indian—Both Took Up Same Sports.

Two of the greatest athletes of modern times clasped hands in admiration of one another recently. One was Jim Thorpe, the famous Indian, and the other was J. Howard Berry, the University of Pennsylvania marvel. Thorpe, when a student at Carlisle, won the Olympic decathlon and pentathlon, in 1912, and during the last three years Berry has won the Ameri-



J. Howard Berry.

can pentathlon championship, held in connection with the Penn relay carnival. Both athletes specialized in the same branches of sport while at college. Berry has always been a great admirer of Thorpe.

## WINGED MESSENGERS IN WAR

Often When Telephonic and Other Communication Are Cut, Pigeons Reach Home Safely.

Members of the Quaker City Concourse association, one of the big national pigeon-flying organizations, have expressed a willingness to supply the government with a number of their winged messengers for war service. During the spring it is expected that thousands of pigeons will be shipped abroad. It is reported that 97 per cent of the pigeons released in the European trenches, after when telephonic and all other means of communication are cut off, reach their destination in safety, thus delivering important messages.

Sure to Sell.  
Caller—Your wife has told me you are working on a new invention.  
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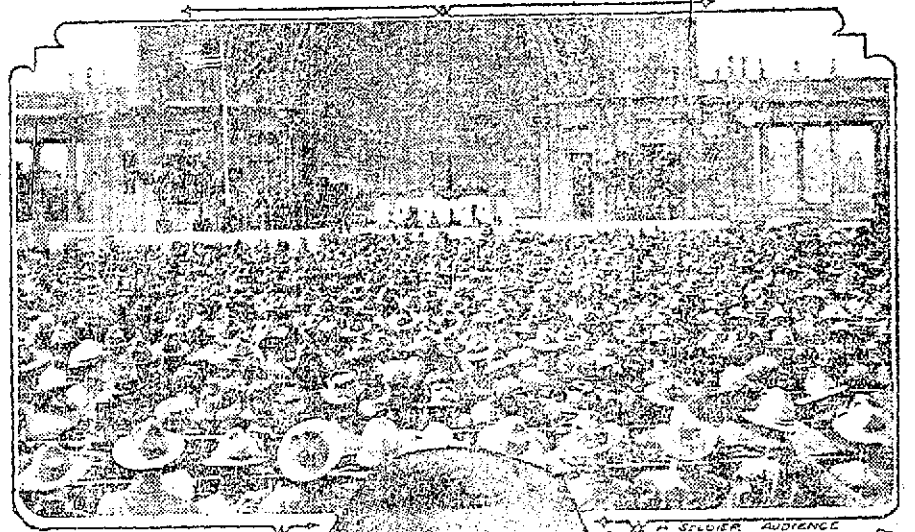
## HOME RUN HIT IS CAUSE OF JEALOUSY

Jack Hendricks, manager of the pennant-winning Indianapolis American association team, when making a trip to Columbus, played a tennis composed of convicts at the Ohio state prison.

The game was played in the prison yard, with the cold gray walls in the background. In the latter part of the game a negro murderer who was playing the outfield for the convicts came to bat. He took an awful cut and the ball soared over the fence and out of sight for a home run. A negro burglar who was coaching on the sidelines, yelled:

"Lawdy, Mussy, how I'd like to be on that ball."

## SELLS SMILEAGE FOR SOLDIERS



In order that the expense of the entertainments, which, at the direction of the Secretary of War, are being given the soldiers of Uncle Sam, under the management of the Military Entertainment Council, may be taken care of, this council has issued "Smileage Books". These books are sold for \$1 and \$5, according to whether they contain 20 or 100 coupons, and will entitle soldiers to free admission to any entertainment in any National Guard or National Campment in the United States. Friends of the soldiers may purchase and send these passes to soldiers by name or to the camps for distribution.

## The Smileage Plan.

Starting the week of January 28, the books will be on sale all over the country. "Smileage Books" will admit the men in khaki to some of the best entertainments in the coun-



MARC BLAVY, IN CHARGE OF THE CAMP THEATRICAL DISTRICTS.

try. This statement is upheld by the fact that official announcement has just been made in Washington that the work of entertaining these men, heretofore conducted under three separate auspices, has all been consolidated under one official body, the Military Entertainment Council, appointed by the Secretary of War. This council is a part of the Commission on Training Camp Activities, of which Raymond B. Fosdick is chairman. Credit for the plan of consolidation is given Harry P. Harrison, of Chicago, executive chairman of the Smileage Campaign.

The consolidation of the various forms of entertainment is, perhaps, the first thing of its kind in the country. It is the first time the Government has undertaken to put on real stunts for its soldiers. Under the new arrangement all entertainment in the camps is to be turned over to the Military Entertainment Council, the Chautauqua tents to be known as "Liberty Tents," and the theaters as "Liberty Theaters." Everybody is expected to buy at least one "Smileage Book."

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EMPTY

By C. A. VOIGHT



# Long Live The King

MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

With a mastery sweep, Nikky drew up his machine before the entrance. Let them come, let them start his car down the road again, and all the devils of the night might follow. He feared nothing.

But here again Nikky planned too fast. The servant who came out to open the doors of the motor had brought a message. "His majesty desires that the messenger come in," was the bomb-shell which exploded in Nikky's ears.

Nikky hesitated. And then some imp of recklessness in him prompted him not to run away, but to see the thing through. It was, after all, a chance either way. These men beside the car were doubtless accomplices of the king. Karl's own secret agents. And, as Nikky paused, he was not certain, but it seemed to him that the man took a step toward him.

"Very well," said Nikky, grumbling. "But I have had a long ride, and a cold one. I need sleep."

Even then he had a faint hope that the others would precede him, and that it would be possible to leap back to the car, and escape. But, whether by accident or design, the group closed about him. Flight was out of the question.

A little high was Nikky's head as he went in. He had done a stupid thing now, and he knew it. He should have taken his letter and gone back with it. But, fool or not, he was a soldier. Danger made him calm.

The door was noisy. Loud talking, the coming and going of servants with trays, the crackle of wood fires in which whole logs were burning, and, as Nikky and his escort entered, the roaring chorus of a bantering song filled the ears.

Two of the men flung off their heavy coats, and proceeded without ceremony into the room whence the sounds issued. The third, however, still holding the letter, ushered Nikky into a small side room, a sort of study, since it contained a desk. For kings must pursue their clerical occupations even on holidays.

Nikky had reluctantly removed his cap. His goggles, however, he returned to retain. He was conscious that his guide was studying him intently. But not with suspicion, he thought. Rather as one who would gauge the caliber of the man before him. He seemed satisfied, too, for his voice, which had been cut, grew more friendly.

"You had no trouble?" he asked.

"None, sir."

"Did Nikky say anything?"

Nikky, then, was the spy of the cathedral Nikky reflected. Suddenly he saw a way out. It was, he afterward proclaimed, not his own thought. It came to him like a message. He burned a candle to his patron saint, some time later, for it.

The man Nikky had had an unfortunate experience, sir. He regretted that, during an evening stroll, before he met me, he was attacked by three men, with the evident intention of securing the letter. He was badly beaten up."

His companion started. "Nikky?" he said. "Then—He glanced at the letter he held. 'We must find some one else,' he muttered. 'I never trusted the fellow. A clerk, nothing else. For this work it takes wit.'"

Nikky, sweating with strain, felt that it did, indeed. "He was badly used up, sir," he offered. "Could hardly walk, and was still trembling with excitement when I met him."

The man touched a bell. "Tell his majesty," he said to the servant who appeared, "that his messenger is here."

The servant bowed and withdrew.

Nikky found the wait that followed trying. He thought of Hedwig, and of the little crown prince. Suddenly he knew that he had no right to attempt this thing. He had given his word, should his oath to the king to protect and watch over the boy. And here he was, knowing now that mischief was afoot, and powerless. He cursed himself for his folly.

Then Karl came in. He came alone, closing the door behind him. Nikky and his companion bowed, and Nikky surveyed him through his goggles. The same mocking face he remembered, from Karl's visit to the summer palace, the same easy, graceful carriage, the same small mustache. He was in uniform and apparently in a comparatively gracious mood. He had been drinking, but he was not intoxicated. He was slightly flushed, his eyes were abnormally bright. He looked, for the moment, rather amiable. Nikky was to learn, later on, how easily his smile hardened to a terrifying grin.

He ignored Nikky's companion. "You brought a letter?"

Nikky bowed, and the other man held it out. Karl took it.

"The trip was uneventful?"

"Yes, sire."

"A bad night for it," Karl observed, and glanced at the letter in his hand. "Was there any difficulty at the frontier?"

"None, sire."

Karl tore the end of the envelope. "You will remain here tonight," he said. "Tomorrow morning I shall send dispatches to the city. I hope you have no petrol. These fellows here—He did not complete the sentence. He inserted two royal fingers into the envelope and drew out Nikky's cigarette papers!

For a moment there was complete silence in the room. Karl turned the papers over.

It was then that his face hardened into a horrible grin. He looked up, raising his head slowly.

"What is this?" he demanded, very quietly.

"The letter, sire," said Nikky. "I—"

"The letter! Do you call these a letter?"

Nikky drew himself up. "I have brought the envelope which was given me."

Without a word Karl held out papers and envelope to the other man, who took them. Then he turned to Nikky, and now he raised his voice. "Where did you get this—how?" he demanded. "At the cathedral, from the man Nikky?"

"Yes, sire," said Karl. Then, for a moment, he left Nikky and turned on his companion in a fury. He let his royal rage beat on that unlucky individual while the agent stood, white and still. Not until it was over, and Karl, spent with passion, was pacing the floor, did Nikky venture a word.

"If this is not what your majesty expected," he said, "there is perhaps an explanation."

Karl wheeled on him. "Explanation?"

"The man Nikky was attacked, early last evening, by three men. They beat him badly, and attempted to rob him. His story to me, sire. He believed that they were after the letter, but that he had preserved it. It is, of course, a possibility that, while he lay stunned, they substituted another envelope for the one he carried."

Karl tore the envelope from the agent's hands and inspected it carefully. Evidently, as with the agent, the story started a new train of thought. Nikky drew a long breath. After all, there was still hope that the early morning shooting would have another target than himself.

Karl sat down, and his face relaxed. It was stern, but no longer horrible. "Tell me this Nikky's story," he commanded.

"He was walking through the old city," Nikky commenced, "when three men fell on him. One, a large one, knocked him insensible and then went through his pockets. The others—"

"Strange," said Karl. "If he was insensible, how does he know all this?"

"It was his story, sire," Nikky explained. But he colored. "A companion, who was with him, ran away."

"This companion," Karl queried. "A dark, heavy fellow, was it?"

"No. Rather a pale man, blond."

Nikky checked himself.

But Karl was all suavity. "So," he said, "while Nikky was unconscious the large man took the letter, which was sealed, unopened, it is extracted, its contents replaced them with this, and then sent it again?"

The king turned without haste to a drawer in his desk and opened it. He was smiling. When he faced about again, Nikky saw that he held a revolver in his hand. Save that the agent had taken a step forward, nothing in the room had changed.

Nikky had been a reckless fool, but he was brave enough. He smiled, a better smile than Karl's last one.

"I have a fancy," said King Karl, "to manage this matter for myself. Keep back, Kaiser. Now, my friend, you will give me the packet of cigarette papers you carry."

Resistance would do no good. Nikky brought them out, and Karl's twisted smile grew broader as he compared them with the ones the envelope had contained.

"You see," he said, "you show the hand of the novice. You should have

thrown these away. But, of course, all your methods are wrong. Why, for instance, have you come here at all? You have my man—but that I shall take up later. We will first have the letter."

But here Nikky stood firm. Let them find the letter. He would not help them. But again he cursed himself. There had been a thousand hiding places along the road—but he must bring the incriminating thing with him, and thus condemn himself!

Now commenced a curious scene, curious because one of the actors was Karl of Karina himself. He seemed curiously loath to bring in assistance, did Karl. Or perhaps the novelty of the affair appealed to him. And Nikky's resistance to search, with that revolver so close, was short lived.

Even while he was struggling, Nikky was thinking. Let them get the letter, if they must. Things would at least be no worse than before. But he resolved that no violence would tear from him the place where the messenger was hidden. Until they had got that, he had a chance for life.

They searched his cap last. Nikky, panting after that strange struggle, saw Kaiser take it from the lining of his cap, and pass it to the king.

Karl took it. The smile was gone now, and something ugly and terrible had taken its place. But that, too, faded as he looked at the letter.

It was a blank piece of note paper.

With the approach of the anniversary of his son's death, the king grew increasingly restless. Each year he determined to put away this old grief, and each year, as his bodily weakness increased, he found it harder to do so.

On other years he had had the crown prince with him as much as possible on this dreary day of days. But the crown prince was exiled, in disgrace. Not even for the comfort of his small presence could stern discipline be relaxed.

Annunziata was not much comfort to him. They had always differed, more or less, the truth being, perhaps, that she was too much like the king, too sympathetic fully with him. Both were arrogant, determined, obstinate.

And those qualities, which age was beginning to soften in the king, were, in Annunziata, in full strength and bloom.

But there was more than fundamental similarity at fault. Against her father the archduchess held her unhappy marriage.

And now, secretly willing that Hedwig should marry Karl, she was ready to annoy him by objecting to it.

On the day after her conversation with General Mettlich, she visited the king. It was afternoon. The king had spent the morning in his study, preoccupied with pillows as was always the case now, working with a secretary.

The secretary was gone when she entered, and he had not alone.

He had passed a trying day. Once having broken down the chancellor's barrier of silence, the king had insisted on full knowledge, with the result that he had sat, aghast, amid the ruins of his former complacency. The country and the smaller cities were comparatively quiet, so far as demonstrations against the government were concerned. But unquestionably they plotted. As for the capital, it was a seething riot of sedition, from the reports. A copy of a newspaper, secretly printed and more secretly circulated, had brought fire to the king's eyes. It lay on his knees as his daughter entered.

"Well, father," she said, looking down at him, "how do you feel?"

"Sit down," he said. The question as to his health was too perfunctory to require reply.

Annunziata sat, with a flogging of chains. She chose a straight chair, and faced him very sternly.

"How old is Hedwig?" demanded the king.

"Nineteen."

"Hedwig is old enough to marry. Her grandmother was not nineteen when I married her."

"It would be better," said Annunziata, "to marry her while she is young, before she knows any better."

"Any better than what?" inquired the king testily.

"Any better than to marry at all."

The king eyed her. She was not, then, even attempting to hide her claws. But he was an old bird, and not to be caught in an argumentative cage.

"There are several possibilities for Hedwig," he said. "I have gone into the matter pretty thoroughly. As you know, I have had this on my mind for some time. It is necessary to arrange things before I go."

The king, of course, was neither asking nor expecting sympathy from her, but mentally, and somewhat grimly, he compared her unmoved face with that of his old friend and chancellor, only a few nights before.

"If is a regrettable fact," he went on, "that I must leave, as I shall, a sad, a traitorous country. But for that, he paused. But for that, he meant, he would gladly go. He needed rest. His spirit, still so alive, chafed daily more and more against its worn body. He believed in another life, did the old king. He wanted the hearty handshake of his boy again. Even the wife who had married him against her will had grown close to him in later years. He needed her too. A little rest, then, and after that a new life, with those who had gone ahead.

"A sadly troubled country," he repeated.

"All countries are troubled. We are no worse than others."

"Perhaps not. But things are changing. The old order is changing. The spirit of unrest—I shall not live to see it. You may, Annunziata. But the day is coming when all thrones will totter. Like this one."

Now at last he had pierced her armor. "Like this one!"

"That is what I said. Rouse your little boudoir of yours, with its accursed clocks and its heat and its fussy-dabber, and see what is about you! Discontent! Revolution! We are hardly safe from day to day. Do you think that what happened years ago was a flash that died as it came? Nonsense. Read this!"

He held out the paper and she put on her glasses and read the headlines, a trifle indistinctly. But the next moment she rose, and stood in front of him, almost as pale as he was. "You allow this sort of thing to be published?"

"No. But it is published."

"And they dare to say things like this? Why, it is—"

"Exactly. It is, undoubtedly." He was very calm. "I would not have troubled you with it. But the situation is bad. We are rather helpless."

"Not—the army, too?"

"What can we tell? These things spread like fire. Nothing may happen for years. On the other hand, tomorrow—"

The archduchess was terrified. She had known that there was discontent about. She knew that in the last few years precautions at the palace had

been increased. Sentries were doubled. Men in the uniforms of lackeys, but doing no labor, were everywhere. But with time and safety she had felt secure.

"Of course," the king resumed, "things are not as bad as that paper indicates. It is the voice of the few, rather than the many. Still, it is a voice."

Annunziata looked more than her age now. She glanced around the room as though, already, she heard the mob at the doors.

"To return to the matter of Hedwig's marriage," said the king.

"Marriage! When our very lives are threatened?"

"I would be greatly honored," said the king, "if I might be permitted to finish what I was saying."

She had the grace to blush.

"Under the circumstances," the king resumed, "Hedwig's marriage takes on great significance—great political significance."

For a half-hour then, he talked to her. More than for years, he unboomed himself. He had tried. His ministers had tried. Taxes had been lightened; the representation of the people increased, until, as he said, he was only nominally a ruler. But discontent remained. Some who had gone to America and returned with savings enough to set themselves up in business, had brought back with them the American idea.

Annunziata listened to the end. She felt no pity for those who would better themselves by discontent and its product, revolt. She felt only resentment, that her peace was being threatened, her position assailed. And in her resentment she included the king himself. He should have done better. And something of this she did not hesitate to say. "Karina is quiet enough," she finished, a final thrust.

"Karina is better off. A lowland, most of it, and fertile." But a spot of color showed in his old cheeks. "I am glad you spoke of Karina. Whatever plans we make, Karina must be considered."

"Why? Karina does not consider us?"

He raised his hand. "You are wrong. Just now, Karina is doing us the honor of asking us alliance with us. A matrimonial alliance."

The archduchess was hardly surprised, as one may believe. But she was not minded to yield too easily. The old resentment against her father flamed. Indifferent mother though she was, she made capital of a fear for Hedwig's happiness.

At last she succeeded in irritating the king—a more difficult thing now than in earlier times, but not so hard a matter at that. He listened quietly until she had finished, and then sent her away. When she had got part way to the door, however, he called her back. And since a king is a king, even if he is one's father and very old, she came.

"Just one word more," he said, in his thin, old, high-bred voice. "Much of your unhappiness was of your own making. You, and you only, know how

abouts. Then they stopped. The thing was arranged. Nothing was left now but to carry the word to Karl.

Two things were necessary. Haste. The king, having determined it, would see to it. And dignity. The grand laughter of the king must be offered with ceremony. No ordinary king's messenger, then, but some dignitary of the court.

To this emergency Mettlich rose. He had been a soldier and statesman, and he said, as he rose, "I will go myself."

"When?"

"Since it must be done, the sooner the better. Tonight, sire."

"To the capital?"

"Not so far. Karl is hunting. He is at Wedding."

He went almost immediately, and the king summoned his valets, and was got to bed. But long after the automobile containing Mettlich and two secret agents was on the road toward the mountains, he tossed on his narrow bed. To what straits had they come! He closed his eyes wearily. Something had gone out of his life. He did not realize at first what it was. When he did, he smiled his old grin in the darkness.

He had lost a life. More than anything, perhaps, he had dearly loved a life.

CHAPTER VIII.

On the Mountain Road.

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Then, all being prepared duly and in order, Mettlich himself would arrive, and things would go forward with dignity and dispatch.

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It required diplomacy to get him out. But it was finally done, and his heavy figure, draped in his military cape, went on ahead, outlined by the lamps of the car behind him.

He was well around the curve, and the cliff was broken by a wedge of timber, when a curiously shaped object projected itself over the edge of the bank, and rolling down, lay almost at his feet. The lamp brought it into sharp relief—a man, gaunt and thin, and rolled, cigar shaped, in an automobile robe.

The chancellor turned, and called to his men. Then he bent over the ban-

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They Carried Him into the Car.

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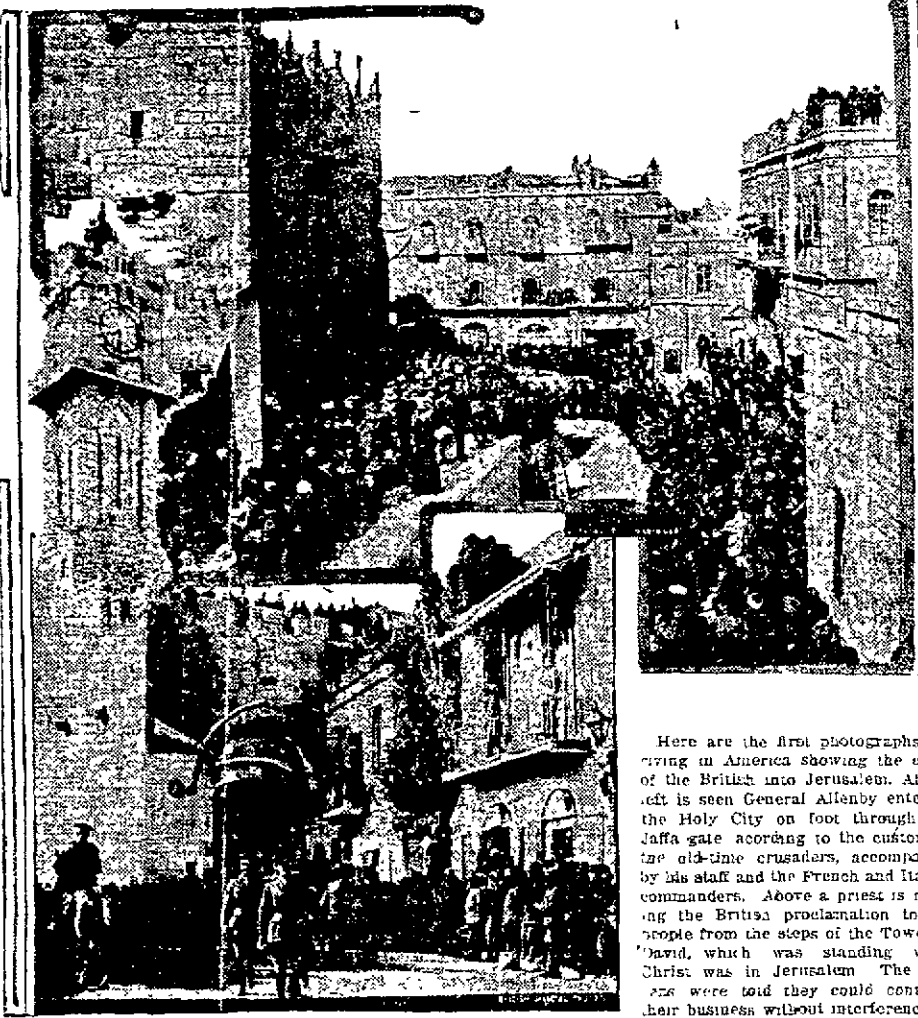
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# FIRST PHOTOGRAPHS SHOWING THE DRAMATIC ENTRY OF THE BRITISH FORCES INTO JERUSALEM



Here are the first photographs arriving in America showing the entry of the British into Jerusalem. At the left is seen General Allenby entering the Holy City on foot through the Jaffa gate according to the custom of the old-time crusaders, accompanied by his staff and the French and Italian commanders. Above a priest is reading the British proclamation to the people from the steps of the Tower of David, which was standing when Christ was in Jerusalem. The citizens were told they could continue their business without interference by the conquerors.

Draft Board at Harrisburg.  
Major Thompson Out.  
Major John J. Thompson was able to leave his home street home yesterday the first time since taking the office of Poor Director of Westmoreland county. Mr. Thompson has been confined to his home with pneumonia and was in a very serious condition.

## SPRING PRIMARY THIS YEAR FALLS MAY TWENTY-FIRST

Political Calendar For the Year 1918  
Is Compiled by State  
Authorities.

HARRISBURG, Feb. 2.—A digest of the state election laws, insofar as they relate to the coming election, has been compiled and made public by George D. Thurn, chief clerk in the state department.

The spring primary this year falls on May 21, and at that time candidates will be nominated by each party for governor, lieutenant governor, secretary of internal affairs, judge of the superior court, four congressional-at-large one representative in congress from each congressional district one senator in the general assembly in each of the seven numbered senatorial districts and in three other districts where vacancies occur, and one representative in the general assembly in each of the legislative districts of the state.

Party names must appear on the ballots in the following order: Republican, Democratic, Socialist, Prohibition, Washington and Roosevelt-Progressive, the order of precedence having been established at the presidential election. In cities of the first and second classes the registration day for voters who were not registered for the November election in 1917, and who desire to vote at the primaries, is Wednesday, April 17; in cities of the third class, Wednesday, May 1. Registration days for the November election are Thursday, September 5; Tuesday, September 17, and Saturday, October 5.

In boroughs and townships the registration days for the spring primary, when voters may be enrolled according to party affiliations or preferences, are March 19 and 20.

Under the law a voter not enrolled according to party affiliation or preference is not entitled to vote at the primaries.

Thurn's compilation this year contains a notice to candidates that after 5 P. M. Thursday, April 11, no petitions will be received from them for filing last year's voters. Petitions were thrown through a transom at the state department just before midnight on the last day, no person being in the department, and then the courts were asked to order the department to certify the names of the candidates.

The following political calendar for 1918 is included in the digest:

Spring primary election, Tuesday, May 21.

General election, Tuesday, November 5.

First day for securing signatures on petitions to be filed with the secretary of Commonwealth, Saturday, March 2.

Last day for filing petitions with the secretary of the commonwealth for nominations for the primary, Thursday, April 11.

First day to secure signatures on petitions to be filed with the county commissioners, Thursday, March 11.

Last day for filing petitions with the county commissioners, Tuesday, April 23.

Last day for filing nomination papers for independent bodies or citizens for any office Friday, September 6.

Last days to be assessed for the November election are Tuesday and Wednesday, September 3 and 4. Assessors sit at polling places on these days.

Last day to be registered for voters who were not registered for the November election of 1917, in Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Scranton, for the spring primary, Wednesday, April 17.

Last day to be registered for the spring primary in all other cities, Wednesday, May 1.

First day to be registered for the November election in any city, Thursday, September 5; second day, Tuesday, September 17; third day, Saturday, October 5.

Last day for enrollment in boroughs and townships, March 19 and 20.

Last day to pay tax to qualify for the November election, Saturday, October 5.

Last day when candidates may withdraw before the primary, Friday, April 12, up to 4 p. m.

Last day for filing statement of expenses for the primary, Wednesday, June 5.

Last day for filing statement of expenses for the November election, Thursday, December 5.

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**TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH.**  
Rev. Edis B. Burgess, pastor. The catechism class will meet at 9 A. M. and the Bible school at 10 A. M. Divine services will be conducted by the pastor at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Luther League will meet at 6:45 P. M. Special music by Trinity Quartet at both services. Strangers are invited to worship with us.

**TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.**  
South Pittsburg and Green streets. Rev. Charles E. Wagner, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Pastor will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Subject at morning service, "Strength in Weakness." Evening sermon, "Wayward Hearers." All are welcome. Cassioxy meets Monday evening in pastor's study. Woman's Missionary society meets Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George H. Shumaker, 418 South Eighth street, Greenwood. Mrs. Shumaker and Mrs. C. C. Bitter will entertain the society. Everybody invited. Confirmation class meets Saturday afternoon at 1:30.

**THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL church.** G. L. C. Richardson, pastor. Bible school at 9:45 A. M. Our aim for tomorrow: every class perfect in attendance. Divine worship at 11 A. M. This is Men's Day. Every Methodist Episcopalian man in Connellsville should be at this service. The pastor will preach on "Masculine Christianity." We are planning for a large men's chorus and quartet. Junior League at 3 P. M. Mrs. Stanton Whitely will be in charge. At 5 P. M. Rev. Richardson will preach the first sermon ever preached at Caspary stone quarry. A Sunday school has been organized and a Methodist society will be started next Sunday. Lpworth League devotional meeting at 6:30 P. M. Warm-up-the-heart service at 7:30 P. M. "The New Song" will be the pastor's subject for the evening. Special music by the male chorus and quartet. Community prayer meetings for the week.

**THE FIRST UNITED BRETHRENS church.** Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M. Morning subject, "A Deliverance From the Flesh." Junior Y. P. S. C. E. at 2:30 P. M. Senior Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 P. M. Preaching at 7:30 P. M. Subject, "A Question of Values." Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Strangers always welcome.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.** J. L. Proudfit, pastor. Sabbath school at 9:45. Morning service at 11; subject of sermon, "Thus Minded." Evening service at 7:30 subject, "Impersonating Christ." Christian Endeavor at 6:30. Wednesday evening prayer-meeting at 7:45.

**THE UNION BAPTIST CHURCH.** West Side, Rev. A. J. Payne, pastor. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, covenant services. Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Afternoon services at 3 o'clock. Communion service: subject, "The Christian's Answer." At 7:45 P. M. the subject will be "The Power of Christian Church."

**SALVATION ARMY.**—Sunday services. Sunday school at 2 P. M. Young People's Meeting at 6:15 P. M. Services at 7 P. M. and salvation meeting at 8 P. M. when Rev. Phelps will be the speaker. Mrs. Dawson has known Rev. Phelps since he was very

young and has always found him to be a man of God. The public is cordially invited.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH—MORNING** subject, "The Open Door." Evening "The Church of Tomorrow." The evening sermon will be in commemoration of the 36th anniversary of the Christian Endeavor movement. George Walker Buckner, minister.

**THE METHODIST PROTESTANT church.** West Apple street, J. H. Lamberton, minister. Class meeting at 9 A. M. Sabbath school at 9:45 A. M. Morning worship at 11 A. M. Sermon there is "Let Down Your Nets For a Drought." C. E. Meeting at 6:45 P. M. In the evening at 7:30 the pastor's theme will be, "Does It Pay Not To Be a Christian?" Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN church.** South Pittsburg street and Morton avenue, William J. Everhart, minister. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Sermon topic, "A Father's Love." Evening worship at 7:45 o'clock. Sermon topic, "Great Salvation." Sabbath school at 9:45 A. M. Juniors at 3 P. M. Intermediate Y. P. C. U. at 5 P. M. Senior Y. P. C. U. at 6:45 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

**COVENANTER CHURCH.** S. B. Houston, pastor. Sabbath school at usual hour. Preaching service at 11 o'clock; topic, "An example of Triumphing Faith." Evening service at 7:30; topic of discourse, "A Message to Young Men." C. Y. P. U. topic, "Remember the Sabbath." Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.** South Pittsburg street, Wilbur Nelson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 A. M. Public worship at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sermons by pastor. Morning topic, "The Pre-eminence of the Christian." Evening topic, "The Restoration of Lost Joy."

### Meyersdale.

**MEYERSDALE, Feb. 2.**—There is on display in one of the show windows of Miller & Collins department store, a knitted scarf which was made by Luther Collins, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Collins, of Connellsville. Master Luther is but eight years old and he made the scarf for his uncle, Philson Collins, of Meyersdale, who enlisted some time ago and is now serving in a medical corp at Cape May, N. J. Many people passing the store stop and admire the scarf as it so neatly done for one so young. It shows that the little boys are doing their bit in Connellsville. Mrs. B. E. Collins, of Meyersdale, is Luther's grandmother and the scarf was sent here for her to see before being sent to her son, Philson Collins. The members of the Forthright club were very delightfully entertained on Thursday evening by Miss Lillian Baer at her home on Main street. Sewing and partaking of a delicious lunch were the diversions. Mrs. W. A. Miller returned Friday from Washington, D. C., where she had been attending the funeral of a relative.

T. A. McKenzie was a business visitor to Cumberland on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boose of Summit township were shopping and calling on friends here Friday.

### Mount Pleasant

**Special to The Courier.**  
**MOUNT PLEASANT, Feb. 2.**—Mrs. Mary McMahon, aged 60 years, wife of James McMahon of Cherry avenue, who died in the Memorial hospital on Thursday evening, was buried this morning from the Reichman funeral parlors in the St. Joseph cemetery, following mass at 8 A. M. at the St. Joseph church.

**Community Fund.**  
At a meeting of the Red Cross executive board it was decided to have a community fund with A. T. Collins and Kirk Bryce as a committee to take steps toward the forming of an organization.

**Theatre Party.**  
Teachers of the Third ward school building on Thursday evening held a theatre party at the Grand opera house and later had lunch at Demanders' restaurant.

**Red Cross Talk.**  
Mrs. S. C. Stevenson gave a talk yesterday to the pupils of grade seven in the Church street school building paving the way for an organization of Junior Red Cross members according to the order issued for the movement between February 12th and 22nd. Shortly these organizations will be formed.

**Fined \$10.**  
James Hutchinson who was disorderly, abusive and used obscene language on the borough streets was arrested by Police Officer James C. Neel and paid a \$10 fine to Burgess Stevens. Police Officer James Neel also arrested Patrick Campbell, who was charged with disorderly conduct. He left a \$5 fine.

**Earn It Honestly.**  
Raymond Robinson and Tony Sasso, two of the Dices' Extension youngsters wanted for annoying and abusing a Kuliak boy, were each fined \$1 and asked to earn it honestly and bring it into the Burgess' office this evening.

**Brother Dead.**  
F. D. Crease, manager of Woolworth's five and ten cent store, was called to Pittsburgh by the death of his younger brother yesterday.

**Eckman Improvement.**  
Friends of Mrs. Albert Eckman who underwent an operation in the Pittsburgh hospital will be pleased to learn that she is improving.

**Named Justice.**  
Governor M. B. Brumbaugh has appointed N. G. Peterson to fill the vacancy in the office of justice of the peace caused by the resignation of C. R. Boeber.

**Next Draft Quota.**  
District Board Number 7 will send 27 men to the Camps on February 12th according to an order from the State

## PARAMOUNT THEATRE

—TODAY—

CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG AND HER OWN COMPANY IN

"MAGDA"

IN 7 ACTS.

—Monday—

METRO PRESENTS A DRAMA OF SUNSHINE AND SPARKLE IN

A 5 ACT WONDERPLAY OF BRILLIANCE AND ROMANCE—STAR-

RING SUPERB ETHEL BARRYMORE IN

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PITTSBURG PRESS WEEKLY—SHOWING CAMP LEE AND CAMP HANCOCK.

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Pittsburg Press Weekly—Showing Camp Lee and Camp Hancock.

### WEDNESDAY

Bluebird Photoplays Presents CARMEL MYERS in  
"MY UNMARRIED WIFE"  
An American Play with French Dressing. A Superb Bluebird in 5 Acts.  
Also a Good Comedy in 2 Acts.

### THURSDAY

William A. Brady Presents JUNE ELVIDGE in  
"THE STRONG WAY"  
World Production in 5 Acts. Also Current Events—Showing the Latest War News Taken "Over There."

### FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Gaiety Presents MAJ. MARSH in  
"SUNSHINE ALLEY"  
By Mary Rider. A Play of the Heart. In 3 Acts.  
Also a Selected Comedy.

—COMING—  
NORMA TALMADGE IN  
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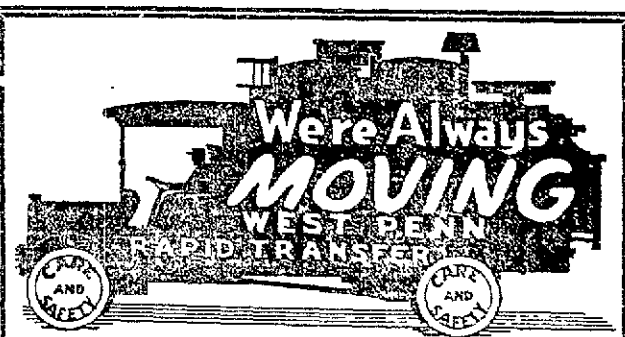
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